Forecast—Showers, brisk winds

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Beauty Reigns over Campus

Winner by a landslide, lovely Rita Leong, 18-year-old booster club candidate, was crowned Campus Queen by student leader David Edgar as annual "Twirp" (The Woman is Requested To Pay) session ended at Victoria College last night. Chosen princesses from 11 other contestants were Joan Sutherland, 19, bowling club, and Margot Thomson, 17, camera club. Other "winners" were Audrey Hogg, 19, "cafeteria queen"; Edmond Price, 21, "international queen"; and Malcolm McMillan, 19, and Deanna Christianson, 18, "most loving couple." — (Colonist photo by Jim Ryan.)

Open Letter to Britain

Could Have Seized All Europe Russian Air Marshal Boasts

'Reds Hold Trump In Nuclear War'

LONDON (UP)—A Soviet air marshal boasted last night that Russia could have conquered all of Europe in 1945. He warned the West the Soviet Union now holds the nuclear trump card in the cold war.

Air Marshal N. Skripko made the statement in an unusual "open letter" to British Air Marshal Sir John Slessor that was published in the Soviet newspaper New Times. The letter was broadcast by Radio Moscow.

"NO INTENTION"

In the letter the Red air marshal wrote that "the Soviet army could have occupied the whole of Europe after the Second World War."

Skripko added however that Russia never "harbored such an intention."

He warned that any Western atomic attacks would bring swift retaliation that would strike at the "heart" of Britain and turn European towns into a "radioactive desert."

Skripko said that nuclear weapons can no longer be considered a "trump card" in the hands of the West.

"That trump is now in the hands of other powers for including the Soviet Union which is in possession of atomic, hydrogen, and all other types of weapons," the Soviet air ace declared.

'ADVOCATED WAR'

The Soviet air marshal lashed out at Slessor for "advocating atomic war" in a recent speech at Duesseldorf, Germany.

"This invitation to the Western nations to commit collective suicide is as fantastic as it is loathsome," Skripko told Slessor.

"The efforts of our people are concentrated on increasing material and cultural standards, on turning the deserts of Central Asia into flourishing orchards, not on turning flourishing areas of Europe into radioactive deserts."

"I have you remembered," he asked Slessor, "what would happen if all of us began to use atomic weapons? I warn that if were you not appalled by the implications live in the inhabitants of densely-populated Western Europe, Great Britain included."

Prelate Smears Troops

NICOSIA, Cyprus (Reuters) — Archbishop Makarios, leader of the union-with-Greece movement in this British east Mediterranean island colony, Friday accused British troops of "barbaric methods worthy of Nazi concentration camps."

He demanded an immediate investigation of the death of a Greek-Cypriot student killed during anti-British riots in Famagusta Tuesday.

The archbishop's press statement came after a day of clashes during which 15 youths were arrested and six injured after a crowd of screaming girl teen-agers led a mob of 1,000 in a demonstration against British troops in Limassol.

"IN COLD BLOOD"

Makarios charged that the student, Patroklos Vasiliouris, 18, was killed in cold blood while taking part in a series of acts of vandalism by the British forces of occupation in Cyprus.

NAZI MANNERS

"There are other concrete cases," he asserted, "in which arrested persons still moaning demand without definite charge were mistreated in a manner that befits the middle ages or Nazi concentration camps.

Snow Covers Sunny Riviera

Cold weather isn't discriminating. It falls on rich and poor alike, even though the rich flee to playground of Mediterranean resorts, usually immune. Here's view of Promenade Des Anglais at Nice after it was covered by a blanket of snow.—(CPC)

Crash Hurts Four

Three sailors and a civilian were taken to hospital early today after their car skidded on wet pavement on Colwood, grazed a high-tension power pole and overturned.

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Details 'Throttled'

Towers Leaves City Police; Attacks RCMP Court Martial

Probationary constable Donald J. Towers last night resigned from Victoria city police department, while attacking RCMP court martial procedure and "certain adverse publicity" that left him in a "most unfeasible position."

The 26-year-old Towers joined press because they are "above the city force in November, salaries of laymen . . . not working his way from RCMP equipped to judge guilt or innocence in a court of regular law."

Commissioner Nicholson was his last avenue of appeal, Towers said.

"The military head of my court was assistant commissioner C. H. L. Rivett-Carnac, Victoria, B.C."

The RCMP officers stated he bore six counts, he continued, without legal counsel, without protection of the Canada Evidence Act or the provisions of defence under the Canadian Criminal Code, and unable to produce records.

"Robert Fraser had the protection of all these elements of jurisprudence and . . . appeared in court on March 9, 1955, with counsel."

Claiming he has uncovered new information in the Fraser case, Towers said "It here is to be a trial let us have it now."

He felt he could provide many details that were "throttled in the court martial."

Towers also claimed a witness in Prince George will swear that Fraser did not plead guilty because of a fear of police but to protect his brother.

"It has been definitely an injury for me to have served an equal term of confinement, particularly in a place far more regimented and severe than Oakalla . . ." on the word of Robert Fraser, Towers said.

Lemon Sours Getaway

PRINCE ALBERT (CP)—RCMP reported Friday that a weakness for lemon extract kept three Indians at bay at Crossie, 175 miles north of here, from escaping with $10,000 in a safe on a tobogganing.

Police said the Indians took the safe Tuesday from the Hudson's Bay store in the northern outpost after they failed in attempts to crack it. They hauled it out on to a lake and cracked it there.

On the way out of the store, however, police said, they took a quantity of lemon extract with them. They were still on the lake celebrating when the RCMP rounded them up.

Labor Chief Raps Racists

MIAMI BEACH (UP)—George Meany, president of labor's organized millions, said Friday that several southern governors and congressmen have joined a new "Ku Klux Klan without hoods" to challenge the U.S. Supreme Court's segregation ban.

The officers said police recently found a cache of arms in Prince George, including a rifle, a shotgun and ammunition.

Towers said he was not surprised after comments at RCMP commissioners L. H. Nicholson and others in parliament, the legislature and the

He served six months in detention barracks for eluding a constable, from Robert John Fraser of Prince George, who subsequently served five and one-half months of a 14-month term for robbery with violence.

"I deny steadfastly ever harming Robert John Fraser or anyone else," Towers said in his resignation.

He claimed he was stripped of all possible means of defence at his court martial.

Towers' resignation was announced by police commission chairman Mayor Percy Scurrah after a special, closed meeting with Towers, Chief Constable John Blackstock, city solicitor T. P. O'Grady and assistant solicitor Angus Smith.

Mayor Scurrah and the police chief commended Towers for excellent service here.

There was "nothing else" the commission could do but accept the resignation in view of recent "stories," the mayor added.

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Army Fliers

U.S. Colonel Heads Canadian Air Unit

OTTAWA (CP)—A United States Army officer has been appointed head of the Canadian Army's air warfare and Arctic branch at defence headquarters here.

This is the section which has laid the groundwork for a small Canadian Army air force which would carry out battlefield airlift of supplies and troops.

Col. Woodrow Purcell of Birmingham, Ala., is an exchange officer and will do a seven-year tour as if he were a member of the Canadian Army.

FIGURES WITHHELD

The defence department Friday refused to disclose how many Americans are serving with the Canadian Army as exchange officers or how many Canadians hold similar appointments in the U.S. Army. A department spokesman said this has a bearing on the total number of American troops serving in Canada, a figure regarded as secret on grounds of security.

Authoritative sources have said that fewer than 150 American officers are serving in Canada, excluding some 15,000 at the three leased bases in Newfoundland.

Lt.-Gen. Howard Graham (ret.) of the general staff, has said that the army will recommend to the government by next summer a plan for creation of its own air force.

NO COMPETITION

He emphasized that the army has no intention of entering into competition with the RCAF and that there will be no duplication between the two services. It is known that some air force officers object to the army's scheme.

Gen. Graham said at a Dec. 5 press conference that the army wants planes and helicopters to move troops and supplies over short distances. Aircraft now

"almost essential" for armies in the field. The U.S. Army flies more than 4,000 planes and helicopters.

Crash Blamed On Bad Roads

Described as "almost impassable" conditions on the Sayward road north of Campbell River resulted in Raymond Cyr of Salmon River Logging being admitted to Lourdes Hospital with minor injuries.

He was a passenger in a car driven by Stanley Lavergne when it left a mudhole with such force as to throw Cyr through the windshield, RCMP reported.

Numerous cars and a bus were stuck on the road last night, they added.

Gun, Car Useless, Loses Money

Herman Messes Up Bank Robbery

ARLINGTON, Ky. (AP)—A would-be bank robber with a gun that wouldn't shoot and a getaway car that wouldn't start was beaten into submission Friday by a posse of about 20 men.

The posse was waiting when he tried twice to leave the Arlington bank a back door, each time with a woman hostage.

The second woman easily ran to safety with a box containing the bank's money, estimated at $50,000.

Herman Maxie, 52 was taken into custody by Federals by observing suspicious, well-armed men looked inside the bank and, outside the door against the Friday night to Federals by the FBI.

Maxie entered the bank in mid-afternoon.

He took the bank's keys at gun point from cashier C. C. Perry and locked the front door. He tied up Perry and Mrs. Marie Reshears assistant cashier and made them lie on the bank floor. He commanded Mrs. Gay Watts, a bookkeeper, and Perry to fill a sack with money.

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Putli the Beautiful Bandit Fights on Beside Her Lover

GWALIOR, India (Reuters)—Putli, a beautiful dancing girl turned bandit queen, is still fighting with gun in hand alongside the man they believed had shot her dead.

Superintendent Deep Singh, a senior police officer, announced at this week that police had received information that Putli had been slain by her bandit lover for infidelity.

The 25-year-old Indian beauty is wanted for robbery and murder in two states of central India which her gang has terrorized for the last five years.

Singh told reporters Friday that the central Indian town earlier a police patrol fought a gun battle with Putli and 12 members of her gang Thursday in a jungle near Bhind, 40 miles northeast of Gwalior.

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Mercy Planes Drop Food For Snowbound Villages

LONDON (CP)—Food and fuel tumbled out of mercy planes over snowbound villages of Europe Friday as the death toll climbed to 219 in the worst winter of the century.

Cold waves from Siberia chilled the continent from the far north to the Mediterranean's usually balmy shores. Austria and Hungary had temperatures as low as 35 below zero, the coldest since 1929.

It was possible to walk between four snowdrifts on roads in Austria, frozen Greenland, the Faur mule-train countries. The ice there measured 50 shoe.

The bad weather wasn't confined to Europe. In Chamaki Japan six rescue teams working on a raging blizzard recovered the 18th body from a wreckage of a workers' dining hall engulfed in a morning snowslide. Twelve men were rescued from under tons of snow and debris and three others are missing and presumed dead.

AUSTRALIA FLOODED

New South Wales, Australia's booming worst floods in memory. Six persons have died and 10,000 are homeless. Thirteen inches of rain has fallen on Sydney during a two-day gale. Property damage has been widespread and is expected to increase when reports of flooded rivers reach the city today.

Blowing 70-mile-an-hour winds whistled down the canals of Venice. The cold cracked 40-90 mile battles and caused a milk shortage in the city.

Gales whipped the English channel into an icy froth. The crew of the 2,634-ton British coaster Gothic abandoned ship off the Channel islands. A freighter picked up six men but a seventh died of exposure. Rescue vessels ploughing through mountainous Bay of Biscay with a tonal Yachting Association and Pacific Coast Yachting Association regattas, which will bring in Victoria upwards of 200 sailings in southern Greece. Four big yachts from clubs along the

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Which One In This 48?

One family in every 48 has someone with a mental health problem, F. P. Winch (CCF, Burnaby) told the legislators yesterday.

"There are 48 of us here," he said. "Who's going to occupy the position?"

Yachting Classic To Be Held Here

Canada's premier yachting Pacific seaboard, for an unprecedented seven days of racing activity from July 2 to 7.

The Duke of Edinburgh Challenge Cup, will be raced Inc at Victoria this year for the first time.

Royal Victoria Yacht Club's program for the cup contest to be decided here this summer has been approved by the Canadian Yachting Association, and the races will be raced on July 5 and 7.

Although the cup itself may not be taken out of Canada, it is open to competition among all Dragon class fleets of North America, and at least 20 boats and crews—possibly many more —from both sides of the line will come in Victoria for the 1956 series of races.

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Pacific Coast Yachting Association regattas, which will bring in Victoria upwards of 200 sailings in southern Greece. Four big yachts from clubs along the

Egypt Takes Red A-Offer

LONDON (CP)—Russia last night announced an atomic aid program to Egypt under which Soviet experts will help build a nuclear laboratory in Cairo.

A Moscow radio broadcast said Soviet and Egyptian officials had reached agreement on a program "for carrying out work in the peaceful use of atomic energy."

ALL ABOARD

With G. E. Mortimore

MORE than 50 parents and students told me yesterday that Esquimalt High school is all right.

The telephone rang every few minutes as defenders of the school hotly denied charges of slack discipline and "brutal" hazing.

The charges were made by several parents and printed in this column yesterday under the heading "Is Hazing Necessary?" I said then that I was in no position to say whether they were right or wrong.

A few people telephoned to say that the charges were true. Far more—perhaps 85 per cent—said the statements were unjust.

"Esquimalt High school is equal to any in the city for sportsmanship and studies," said Alex Ross. "Three of my children have gone through Esquimalt High school. I'm proud of those kids."

Critics of the school said that both boys and girls were put under the showers and that boys who came to the school for the first time had to run the gauntlet of older students who struck them with clenched fists.

Student John Hogg said that reports of the hazing were much exaggerated.

"I know from experience that It doesn't hurt much," he said. He added that the only time boys were put under the showers was when they wore "gym strip" clothes.

"Two girls went through the showers on their own. I think it was last year. That's what I heard. Then their parents must have seen their hair was wet, and they probably told their parents they were forced into the showers.

"Everybody in the school has run the gauntlet. They're much easier on the little kids than on the older ones."

"We have a good school, and we're proud of it," said students Ross Cameron and Richard Copley. "We don't want it called down."

They drew attention to the good school choir, the award-winning school magazine and the school drama club as examples of worthwhile student effort.

"Sometimes the hazing has been rough, for the older kids," they admitted. "But if a kid can't take a little hazing, he shouldn't be in school.

"Every school has some hazing. It makes school spirit. But a lot of it has been stopped."

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"My son has never had such brilliant marks, and has never been better looked after at any school he has attended in Canada," said Alex Reid, father of an Esquimalt High school student.

"The personal trouble that has been taken over his curriculum is incredible."

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Six girls came into this office to praise the discipline and teaching efficiency of principal Clive Kelly and his staff.

Evelyn Holland, Carroll Hunter, Moira McColl, Maureen Leggett, Bonnie Schacht and Heather Schacht all said that reports of hazing were absurdly exaggerated.

"Rushess firms who took ads in our school magazine last year are refusing us this year because we come from Esquimalt High," said Moira. "We don't deserve it. We have a good magazine and a good school."

"I don't believe it one single bit," said Mrs. M. Lehelm, mother of a student. "There's nothing more going on in Esquimalt High than any other school."

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Inspector John Gough, asked for comment, said: "It's unfortunate for the school and district that these statements have been made, but we can not say anything until we investigate."

Bridey Murphy Highlights Problem

Scientist Seeks Man's Soul

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By WILLIAM H. McAFFEE

DURHAM N.C. — Does the human spirit survive after death?

That question which concerns us all so deeply on our journey through life has been given current prominence by Morey Bernstein's book, "The Search for Bridey Murphy."

Nobody has worked harder of finding an answer to this challenging question than Dr. J. B. Rhine.

Handsome, gray-haired and 60, Dr. Rhine heads the Duke University department of parapsychology. He is world renowned for his exploration of the mysteries of the mind.

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It was the question of human survival after death that brought Dr. Rhine here in the first place.

He and his wife, Dr. Louisa E. Rhine who works with him, came here in 1927 on a research grant from Dr. John F. Thomas of Detroit.

They came here because the famous Prof. William McDougall had just opened a department of psychology at Duke. They brought with them some records to study under McDougall.

These records, the property of Dr. Thomas were made by a spiritualist medium.

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The Rhines stayed on to teach and conduct controlled experiments in such things as telepathic card reading and willful control of dice.

Their research resulted in pioneer achievements in an attempt to prove the existence of telepathy, clairvoyance, precognition and the influence of mind over matter.

But they have not yet found the final answer.

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What about Bridey Murphy?

Bernstein visited here at an early point in his search for knowledge of the mind's mirac ulous behavior. But then he went clear beyond anything Dr. Rhine and his associates have attempted in laboratory research.

Asked to comment on the book, Dr. Rhine confined himself to describing it as an "interesting story."

Then he explained that he would be ready to take up such a case if it were documented scientifically.

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I asked Dr. Rhine why he had not used the "prebirth regression" theory advanced in Bernstein's book. According to this theory, a person in a hypnotic trance can be taken back to childhood and then still farther back in a "previous life."

Dr. Rhine replied, "It's like an old recipe for cooking possum. First you get your possum."

He explained that the trouble with the prebirth regression theory is it "assumes the existence of a soul." Before the necessary research and public learning all there is to know theory can be tested scientifically, he said. "We first must find out if there is a soul."

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"But wouldn't successful Murphy story give some support to a soul theory?"

"No. Even if we could be sure the subject wasn't lying, it the story were carefully checked and verified, it could still be supposed that Ruth Simmons could have picked up her facts by extrasensory perception telepathy and clairvoyance?"

"That's the question we have long been pondering.

"It's a little like the search for a cure for cancer.

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"An understanding of the nature of cancer would help the search for a cure. And if we could identify the different characteristics of the living human personality it would help us determine if it can exist independent of the body."

Are you hopeful of finding the answer in your lifetime? I asked.

"I'm hopeful of finding out what there is there," he said, adding, "in science we do not always get the answer anticipated."

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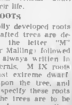

By M. V. CHESNUT, FRHS

Of all the thrills and satisfactions we encounter in our favorite hobby, gardening, I don't know of any which can compare with picking and eating your own ripened apple or pear from your own trees.

It isn't only the flavor of the fruit, which is incomparably better in fruit which has been allowed to ripen naturally as against commercial stuff which has been picked on the green side and held in cold storage.

There is also the all-important interest and excitement which comes from following the growth of a tree from its baby stage right through to the point where the luscious, sun warmed fruit is ready to pick.

BIG GARDEN

Until fairly recent years, you had to have a pretty big garden before you could ever think of growing any tree limit, for a full grown apple or pear tree was an enormous thing, taking so much shade that nothing else could be grown.

Nowadays, thanks to the plant scientists of the East Malling Institute in England, it is possible to buy your trees grafted upon specially-developed roots which dwarf the tree long before it is six or eight feet in height.

These little trees are highly ornamental, too, and hence may be planted in the shrub border or even as specimens in the lawn, although the ideal system is to establish a small orchard or fruit garden all to itself. As the dwarf trees can be planted as close as eight feet apart, quite a lot of fruit may be raised in places where it would be impossible to grow the full sized standard trees.

FRUIT SIMILAR

The fruit grown on dwarfing roots is identical in size, flavor and coloring with the same varieties on standard trees, but is produced much earlier. A big apple tree, for instance, may take as long as 15 years before it produces fruit, but the dwarfs will generally begin bearing the second year after they are planted, reaching their maximum production in their fourth year after their purchase from the nursery.

I want to emphasize again that these dwarf trees which come into bearing so quickly, and which can be surveyed and harvested without a ladder, are not special fruit varieties. You can buy your favorite variety of apple in dwarf form, and what the fruit will be identical with specimens from a standard tree. The trees themselves will remain dwarf throughout their life.

SPECIAL ROOTS

The specially developed roots for these grafted trees are designated by the letter "M."

Standing for Malling, followed by a figure always written in Roman numerals. M IX roots have the most extreme dwarfing effect upon the tree, and it is best to specify these roots only when the trees are to be grown as cordons or espaliers against a low fence. For ever ... age home garden week M VII roots will be found most satisfactory. Dwarf pears are grown on Quince "C" roots.

One thing which must be remembered when growing these dwarf fruit trees is that they are very brittle and the tree can be snapped off fairly easily unless it is staked carefully through out its life.

Air Leader Dies in U.K.

LONDON (UP) — Viscount Trenchard, who started as an Infantryman in the Boer War and rose in command all of Britain's air power in the First World War, died Friday, a week after his 84th birthday.

He was head of the Royal Flying Corps from 1915 to 1917 and chief of air staff from 1918 to 1929.

Japan Pleads Ban A-Tests

TOKYO (AP)—The lower house of the Japanese Diet unanimously adopted a resolution Thursday calling on the United States, British and Russia to stop atomic and hydrogen bomb tests. The resolution, jointly sponsored by the Socialist and the Communist parties, also called for adequate and effective international measures to prevent such tests.

FORMERLY INDEPENDENT

Texas is the only state in the U. S. that was an independent republic before its annexation in 1845.

Weather Forecast

Feb. 11, 1956

Cloudy with showers. Little change in temperature. Winds south 25 in early morning, shifting to westerly 25. Outlook for Sunday is showers periods in the afternoon.

ADDITIONAL TEMPERATURES

High ... 43 Low ... 40
Precipitation .01 Sunshine ... nil
FORECAST TEMPERATURES
High ... 45 Low ... 36
Sunrise ... 7:30 Sunset ... 5:27

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy, rain in the morning. Cloudy periods by afternoon. Little change in temperature. Winds southwest 20. High at Estevan Point, 45. Outlook for Sunday, a few showers, a few sunny periods in the afternoon.

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St. John's	18	26	—
Halifax	20	36	—
Montreal	9	31	—
Ottawa	2	35	—
Toronto	30	36	—
North Bay	20	32	.05
Port Arthur	20	29	.01
Kenora	18	31	—
Winnipeg	3	20	—
Regina	20	28	.01
Saskatoon	16	30	—
Prince Albert	2	9	.11
Medicine Hat	20	35	—
Lethbridge	30	37	—
Calgary	27	36	—
Edmonton	30	37	—
Grand Forks	14	28	—
Penticton	24	30	—
Vancouver	37	43	.38
Prince Rupert	31	35	.23
Whitehorse	8	2	.02
Seattle	36	42	.02
Portland	36	42	—
San Francisco	36	58	—
Los Angeles	43	67	—
Spokane	18	27	—
Chicago	25	37	—

Strike-in-Reverse . . . . . Causes Furore

Italian Jailed for Working

ROME (CP)— Italy is up against a strike in reverse. It involves workmen in Sicily who insist on repairing a rundown highway, though no one has hired them to do it.

Highest circles of the Italian government are wrestling with the unique problem of unemployment agitation sparked by a bespectacled 31-year-old writer named Danilo Dolci.

He encouraged a group of unemployed men to work on a highway at Partinico, a little town southwest of Palermo in Sicily. They hoped the town would be "shamed" into paying them.

Today, with Dolci in jail awaiting trial, all Italy was commenting on the case. Newspapers headlined it. Intellectuals gave their views and names to petitions of protest against Dolci's arrest.

Next week the government will be asked in answer questions about treatment accorded the writer who claims he is trying to make a "borough of God" out of the "hell a half acre" of poverty and unemployment of Partinico.

Dolci went to Partinico in 1950. He decided to do more than write about the people there, he said, after seeing children "no thin they looked like skeletons."

Three weeks ago he organized a one-day hungry strike. 200 jobless in work on the road, and police hauled him and 20 others in jail.

Whatever the outcome of the case Dolci may have achieved one of his goals — Italy has been shocked into awareness of the plight of her 2,000,000 unemployed, who live mainly in southern Italy and Sicily.

The writer is expected to quote a passage from the Italian constitution at his trial: "The republic recognizes that all citizens have the right to work."

Worm Burns

WASHINGTON (UP)— The Internal revenue service received a cheque on which a taxpayer had printed this notation:

"Dear Bank, please give to the order of this feller (the amount was given) this much of our money he's got comin'. We'll drop over in a day or so with another little check. Shore gits away, don't it?"

Trail Picket Lines Stand Back To Let School Buses Through

TRAIL (CP) — Pickets allowed Warfield, Trail-vale, Nelson and buses to carry students to school Saltno.

Friday as Trail's first bus strike in 26 years began.

Drivers are asking for a wage increase to $1 an hour from $1.45 a hour. Interior Stages said it sees no opportunity of re-from Interior Stages Ltd.

The strike also halted bus service between here and the southeastern B.C. communities of Rossland and Trail city council has been asked to take over the company but the council is also worried by financial troubles.

The drivers' members of the Amalgamated Association of Street Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employees of America (AFL-TLC) met last night to vote on a proposal of buying the line if it is sold.

"Our men are going to be very disappointed," George Morrison of Vancouver international vice-president told the union local.

The majority of bus-travelling students were not affected by the strike which started at 5 a.m. although those in Glenmerry and Summerside had to arrange their own transport.

Car pools were formed in the west Kootenay district of 15,000 persons and few were reported late for work.

Consolidated mining and smelting Co. of Canada Ltd. made arrangements to provide added parking facilities for employees' autos.

The union dropped a plan to picket the company's coal-cart run for the Canadian Pacific Railway when Interior Stages reserved a decision to send one bus and two cars used to carry passengers and mail from Castlegar to Trail.

The sale for which there was no signed agreement was made to Joseph Melaimi operator of the airline transport service here.

Defence Training Stepped Up Here

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More courses are scheduled [illegible] attend a job-training indoctrina-

No Patient Refused VON Nursing Service

No patient is ever refused service by the Victorian Order of Nurses because of inability nursing service expenses, $6,[illegible] to pay, president Harold L. Webster said at the annual meeting of the Victoria branch at Spencer's house Thursday.

"Every possible effort is made to keep the patient [illegible] down," he added.

Miss Elizabeth Riddell in the report of nursing service, noted that 37 per cent of the 2228 visits made last year were free and [illegible] 33 per cent were only partial and that without charge and another 17 per cent involved only part payment.

Most of these visits, 64 per cent were for bedside nursing of diabetic, cancer or cardiac patients and patients with diseases of the heart [illegible] all chronic long term conditions. Patients admitted numbered 1110.

J. R. Bannon, treasurer, reported that 13% receipts were [illegible] fees $10,775, provincial and municipal grants, $8,915; Community Chest $15,750, other receipts $[illegible] and a loan from gift fund $1,000, in total $37,918.

Powerful River Tugs Being Built Here

Canada's booming Northland is calling for more freight hauling equipment, and Yarrows Ltd. is [illegible] the effort.

The shipbuilding firm is now building three 95-foot, powerful river tugs under an $800,000 contract for the Northern Transportation Company Ltd.

Scheduled delivery dates are May 2, May 15 and June 15.

The pioneer river navigation company operating on the Athabasca, Peace, Lake Athabasca and the Mackenzie river with headquarters in Edmonton is keeping pace with the demand for increased freight shipments down North, particularly to the Athabasca-Beaverlodge uranium mining area.

F. W. Broderick, vice-president and general manager of the freight company, in announcing the [illegible] purchase also announced awarding of a contract for 27 steel barges to be built in Vancouver.

The barges costing $2,700,000 will be made by Modern Bridge & Steel Fabricators Ltd.

The three tugs specially designed with a two-foot four inch draft and tunnel-enclosed twin propellers, are of steel, with wood deck housing. Completely assembled at Yarrows, the tugs will be knocked down in sections for shipment by rail.

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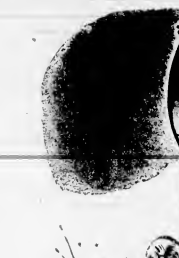
Brilliant Service

AIR MARSHAL of the Royal Air Force who won the supreme confidence of Great Britain in two World Wars and afterwards by his brilliantly aggressive leadership, Viscount Trenchard died yesterday at the age of 84. In a direct sense Lord Trenchard was the father of the Royal Air Force which emerged out of the Royal Flying Corps and of the Commonwealth air forces to follow. Shearing through red tape and picking his men with insight, he built up the air arm of the western front into air supremacy. This was followed by the institution of training colleges and technical schools in the period between the two wars, which helped to forge the very sharp blade the Royal Air Force became in the second world conflict.

Nor was that all. Lord Trenchard was called upon, at an age when most men hug their fireside, to reorganize London's Metropolitan Police. He picked men from the ranks and made them officers. He created training schools and special courses. He injected his undiminishing imagination, drive and force into the prosaic ongoing of another body of men to become a very efficient force.

Viscount Trenchard directed his life on the "can-do" principle, and nothing to which he turned his serious attention for long remained undone. In two wars he became the idol of countless thousands of men in uniform, almost the "patron saint" of the fighter pilots, and an amazingly effective leader.

Lord Trenchard's enduring monument will remain the host of things that he did supremely well, and the affection for him which grew in the hearts of all those with whom he was thrown in contact. An early Marshal of the Royal Air Force and for most of his lifetime one of its keen brains, his contribution to the cause of world freedom is probably beyond measurement at this time. When history is written, however, here was a man who never failed his country, never gave way before a threat, and who inspired by his firm leadership the epic results which his policies led to on the field of action. He held many honors, but the unextinguishable one is that he gave his country incomparable service in its time of need.



"Lullaby—Sweet dreams—"

Traffic Complexities

REMARKS by Mayor Scurrah on several occasions recently stimulate hope that this year's city council will make a positive approach to the downtown traffic problem. From all indications our City is getting ready to move at last in the direction of a master plan of control to meet the flow of traffic through congested sections. This if it can be achieved will be a vast improvement over the piecemeal practice in recent years. If traffic is to be organized into movement patterns, the council cannot afford to be timid.

The problems of parking and movement are really inseparable phases of a single problem: how to make the fullest practicable use of the streets. The capacity of the principal arteries cannot be increased very much until they are relieved of stationary vehicles. That means more off-street parking accommodation, for it would be unreasonable and bad for business to reduce the present curbside space without first providing other convenient places for motorists to leave their cars. The rates for off-street parking also should not exceed the curbside price, otherwise nothing the City could do would stop the drift of trade elsewhere—a trend that is disturbing enough to merchant taxpayers already.

The general improvement sought by Mr. Scurrah is not going to be accomplished easily in a city like Victoria with its numerous narrow streets, crooked streets, jogs, forks and five-point intersections. There is the further complicating factor of bus services. The jumbled irregularity of Victoria's layout makes it impossible to arrange routes on an uptown, cross-town grid, consequently adaption of a workable one-way street system is not going to be as easy as it might sound.

The same consideration enters into the question of wider prohibition of left-hand turns, one of the main causes of congestion at busy intersections. Some years back the City put into operation a hairbrained system of allowing buses to turn left while forbidding other vehicles to do so. The resultant confusion was something no one would like to see repeated.

Altogether the challenge the mayor and council will be up to is fraught with difficulties, but it could not be shirked any longer. One thing is certain: If improvements are to be evolved the council will need the fullest co-operation from the business section rather than the short-sighted resistance to change which characterized some of the City's earlier attempts.

Mr. Gardiner Again

HAVING become an expert at bartering butter, Mr. Gardiner now wants to barter human beings, to exchange wheat for United Kingdom immigrants. This would be a return to the dark ages but seemingly anything is valid with the agriculture minister in a trade-drain program. His idea is to "buy" new citizens, one for every thousand bushels, to a total of some 10,000,000. Such an influx of British stock would be good for this country but somehow one doubts the U.K. will "sell" its people even to such a worthy end.

The idea is amusing, however. Ten million heads are a lot, only one-tenth that many newcomers—British, German, Scandinavian, Central European—have come to Canada in the last decade. At this rate the immigration-wheat deal would run for 100 years and dispose each year of only a quarter to half of the annual wheat crop. The trade balance would still be unbalanced. The rate could perhaps be doubled or tripled, but the disturbance this could cause on both sides of the Atlantic can be imagined and there would still be wheat lying in abundance waiting for other barter deals.

Mr. Gardiner's notion is that the Canadian treasury would reimburse the wheat board for every 1,000 bushels, about $1,500 at present prices. The U.K. would not pay cash for the wheat, but unless Mr. Gardiner means to underwrite the cost of bringing and establishing each immigrant here a point he skips, the U.K. would have to foot this bill itself. Even if the immigrant had enough sterling of his own to cover the passage, the U.K. government would have to provide him with dollars in lieu, and it is the lack of dollars that is the root problem. The wheat-for-immigrants deal is more a trade commodity, with one worth so many bags of wheat. Canada needs immigrants and would like to get them from Britain, but not in this fashion. One is glad Mr. Gardiner holds the agriculture portfolio and not the immigration one. Mr. Pickersgill and his "babies" were bad enough, but at least the babies were human.

Interpreting the News

Dangers of Ignorance

By J. M. ROBERTS
Associated Press News Analyst

FOR many years the Foreign Policy Association, a U.S. non-partisan, non-profit organization devoted to the study of international affairs has been helping a relatively few people to a better understanding of world issues.

Its principal means has been through the publication of pamphlets, provided for members, on current topics.

Now, with the endorsement of Secretary of State Foster Dulles, the organization is launching a campaign to reach more people through organization of meetings and the wider development of television and film programs.

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One of the great problems of American government during the last 15 or 20 highly complex years has been to reach a relatively uninformed public with explanations of world situations which would produce understanding of government policy.

And understanding is vital to support, and to the formulation of policy which will have continuous public support.

Anyone involved in the study of current events these days is bound to realize that there is still a vast amount of isolationistic sentiment in the United States. And almost invariably, when it is analyzed on an individual basis, it is produced by incomplete knowledge of the issues which inspire it.

Often it seems to come not from the ignorance of uninterested people, but from the ignorance of a puzzled or uninterested people, confused by a little learning, absorbed by their own problems.

People who instinctively understand why an army in war will try out to demolish historic shrines seem unable to apply the same reasoning to the preservation of a nation which, like France for example, has contributed much in civilization and which, indeed, occupies a highly strategic military position in the free world.

The United States cannot have an enduring foreign policy unless it is insisted, or at least generally supported, through the enlightened self-interest of the people.

Island Ores

By FRANK KELLEY

SOME metal miners of the 1890s, Dhan fairly busy determining values and tonnages of properties containing copper-gold ores in various part of Vancouver Island, will probably derive, if still around, satisfaction from a recent item by the Colonist's Ottawa editor, Harry Young (in mentioned renewed interest in an old working, from which veins had been stripped as far back as major development planned for a large group of claims. If either program were to prove successful it would tend to justify the faith in which the old timers toiled and strove to settle the long-existing assumption that the mineral occurrences of Vancouver Island were shallow and not at worth bothering about.

Lack of continuity and expansion downward was a verdict the pick and shovel delvers after Island metals had to accept in their pursuit of metals in the volcanic rocks in which most of Island mineria seem to occur. They lacked the drilling apparatus of modern day prospecting unbotthed at determining the approximate extent of worthwhile ore bodies. Instead of pursuing and losing chase in heavily faulted areas of rock formation, there now seems to be little excuse for abandoning a surface prospect without a thorough testing of the ground below with power drills.

Vancouver Island has many evidences of copper enrichment in its rocks. These appear in all its parts from East Sooke to Nootka Lake and over most of its breadth. Ores were mined years ago and smelted at Ladysmith and Crofton as well as shipped to Tacoma smelters from points between Alberni Inlet and Quatsino Sound. Undoubtedly there would have been much greater exploitation of Island copper had it not been for the Yukon gold finds in the 1890s, causing an exodus of prospectors northward.

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Those who remained continued to explore properties here and there, but did the prospecting without drills. That is why, when the vein petered out or had been stripped there was movement and difficult to locate, properties were abandoned and it became a vogue to state "copper did not go down." Probably the not uncommon price of six cents a pound for copper had some influence on the verdict. It is now quoted at 43 cents.

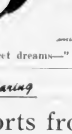
There were other considerations, too, which could have had some bearing on what took place with regard to copper property development on the Island. "Black" Jones, a native of Wales, who located the Sidney Island group of claims for the late Edgar Dewdney, told me that those in charge of mining the ore there were taking it from the most accessible places on the water side of the hill, leaving the most important body of ore, in his opinion, undisturbed at the back of the elevation. Maybe the Japanese when they mined the property before the last war were among the big tonnage they are said to have shipped to Japan got it from the back of the hill. I do not know.

Nick Clark, who was in charge of Yreka development at Quatsino, told me he believed the main body of ore there would be located at lower levels than those they were working well up a hillside, where there was considerable high grade ore. At present Yreka is awaiting the attention of Noranda officials. It must be heartening to old-timers to hear too, that O. G. McDonald of Cowichan Copper Mines Ltd., has encouraging things in say re the group of 56 claims about six miles from the west end of Cowichan Lake on the old Alberni trail. Consolidated's references to Coast Copper might also mean much to the Island's future.

Gerald Waring

Reports from Ottawa

SIR Anthony Eden's prestige, glamour and his almost schoolboy Irish charm caused most eyes to remain focused on him during the five-day visit of the prime minister to Ottawa. But the most knowledgeable people here spared one time for interested study of the words of the new foreign secretary, Selwyn Lloyd, and of the man who uttered them.



Overshadowed by his chief, even as Eden himself was when he accompanied Winston Churchill to Ottawa, Lloyd nevertheless merits study. At 51 he is the youngest of the top flight members of the British cabinet. Only 10 years ago he was a newly-elected back bencher supporting a defeated party.

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"Meteoric" is an overworked adjective but it is true that few British politicians have gone so far so fast. Lloyd maintained the private lawyer's quiet pace he set during the war by becoming minister of state for foreign affairs in 1951. As such he headed the British delegation at the United Nations. A year ago he became minister of supply, and finally late last year foreign secretary and Sir Anthony's right hand man.

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Some British political writers already are describing him as Sir Anthony's long-term heir, and the Tory party's answer to the south of the new Labor leader, Aneurin Hugh Gaitskell. All the more reason for Ottawa to listen attentively to this man, whose politics will be of vast importance not only to Britain, but in Canada and the whole of the free world.

There was nothing unorthodox in Lloyd's only public statement here, his speech to the Women's Canadian Club. He is known as a solid Ulster Irish man, and as might be expected his remarks followed the pattern of Eden's policy. But he was vigorous in polishing his ideas forward, and in advancing a need for "an all out effort to create in the underdeveloped countries conditions in which men and women will have an interest in liberty, stability and progress."

Only such an effort, he said, will enable the West to match and better the economic appeal which communism has for Asians and Africans.

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A point which seems to be overlooked is that if it were not for the lagging operations now being carried out here there would be no need people would in all probability have to wait many years for some of these roads. The government has also found the necessary money to build one a little at a time but not half a dozen.

Appreciating this fact, they are quite content to have a somewhat narrow gravel road and also put up with the inconvenience of sharing it with busy logging equipment, at least until we have built Island 1 and 2 found to bring them up to highway standard. By that time those that the logging companies are building the greatest part of these roads themselves and that portion of the cost they are largely dependent on for their livelihood.

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The tourist value of these roads is not being overlooked and in spite of their narrowness and not being paved, people coming in over the sights of the west coast will use them anyway. This will apply more particularly to the Long Beach Road, over which thousands of cars are expected to travel during the summer if it being opened. Traffic demands will then call for it being widened and paved and the same will apply in time to the other roads.

The public's memory is short. They seem to forget that our roads were in the same sad shape as Sooke Road was no narrow in places that then took the place of horses. As recently as 20 years ago the

Letters to the Editor

Just Flabbergasted

To say that Mr. Frank Snowsell's letter to the Colonist of Feb. 8 under the heading "Sagacity, Sept." amazed me would be the understatement of the year.

When I think of the small token payment rather a stringent means test made to the old folks in Saskatchewan by his own CCF government there, I am left flabbergasted and wordless.

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Rural Taxes

There have been several articles and letters about the hardships suffered by old age pensioners but nothing has been said about those in outlying districts who have acquired a small home with tiny acreage so they could not afford to live in the city to meet the increasing taxation.

This taxation, unfortunately, for us is not confined to the city. Every year since we acquired our small holding, not much bigger than a city lot, we have been assessed annually for improvements and additions miles away from our neighborhood.

I had the temerity to challenge a new $5 tax for presumable fire protection which some of us here consider impractical and useless as if any fire occurred, by the time the amateur equipment arrived there would be only ashes left. We, of course, carry fire insurance.

If rural taxes, which are now about 50 per cent of city taxes, are to increase at the present rate, what hopes has an individual got except through the courtesy of your newspaper?

NEVILLE E. FAIRWEATHER.

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Absolutely Fair

This morning (Feb. 7) I attended the court of revision held in the municipal hall of Oak Bay. While I was of the opinion that my reason for protesting my assessment was legitimate, I almost withdrew my objection because everyone I spoke to told me it was simply a waste of time and a further discouragement. I was told that as the chairman of the board was a lawyer my only chance was to hire a lawyer to represent me.

These apparently widespread opinions are certainly not valid. I heard over a dozen cases, and both the board, under Mr. C. E. Shaw's chairmanship, and the assessor, Mr. G. Jones, were absolutely fair and reasonable.

E. NARZOCCO

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Victoria, B.C.

The Other Side

For the benefit of all those who prefer to hear both sides of a question rather than accept everything they are told just because it is supposed to be good for them I wish to submit the following information:

An osteopath in Grand Rapids, Michigan (where water has been fluoridized for about 10 years) wrote "In Grand Rapids, in talking with dental laboratories, I discovered that the capping of teeth has increased about 500 per cent in the past five years because teeth are now so brittle they break. The surgical supply houses are now buying crowns in the same quantity every six weeks which they formerly bought in a year."

(Mrs.) J. HART.

Box 219, Boyston, B.C.

Political Funds

It is fortunate that money is available to finance the parties now in power. If parties disappeared and we returned to the naked struggle between factions and cliques for the fruits of public office the general public would realize what they had lost.

The day may come when the average man will take the trouble to understand the society he lives in, but until then we had better be thankful that money is available to maintain the political parties which govern our affairs today.

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CARL FALLAS.

Victoria, B.C.

Bolt from the Blue

I am so glad to see that the Colonist is continuing the practice of pulling the comic strip panels out of a hat as a means of dividing which ones to run on any particular day. It adds so much to somewhat dull animal behavior to have shot men falling the day before the gun is fired, to have police setting out to catch a criminal a few days before the crime is committed. And the idea of running this week's Bee Bolt strip in reverse has a classic simplicity that sets it apart.

So do please keep up this intriguing treatment of your comic page. It opens up a whole new field of journalism.

WILL MEARNS.

411 Menzies street,
Victoria, B.C.

In the Legislature

Beware Deflation Kiernan Cautions

By PETER BRITON

Agriculture Minister Kenneth Kiernan yesterday warned that deflation was being brought to Canada by increasing interest rates, and low production of man who was unable to protest.

Deflation was a worse evil than inflation, he said.

Speaking in the budget debate, the minister criticized Bank of Canada interest rates and said they would lead to deflation.

"When production of consumer goods is on the downward trend and interest rates are on the upward trend we should be extremely cautious," he told the legislature.

Mr. Kiernan also predicted further government control of agricultural marketing.

Services of the marketing board would be substantially expanded to examine the "ever-increasing gap of the price the producer is paid and the price the consumer pays."

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The government was warned to "keep a little nest-egg" in the provincial treasury by R. E. Wirth, veteran Cowichan farmer-lumberman.

"Be a good housekeeper and keep a little nest-egg for the hospitals," said Mr. Wirth. "You should do things while you have the money but you should keep a little in reserve."

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Unanimous support was given second reading — approval in principle — of an act providing for celebration of the centenary of the founding of the mainland colony of B.C. in 1958.

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The legislature also gave second reading to an act officially adopting dogwood as the official emblem of B.C.

Members praised the Native Daughters of B.C. for promoting the idea.

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Agriculture Minister Kiernan said a $700,000 agriculture centre would be built this year in the Fraser valley. The government intended to build the centre where diagnostic work in poultry and veterinary work for livestock could be done.

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A Social Credit MLA yesterday called upon Tom Gargrave (CCF-Markinson) to make an apology to B.C. Electric president Dal Grauer for statements alleging a deal had been made with the government in exchange for campaign funds.

Donald Robinson (SC, Lillooet) said he was shocked to hear Mr. Gargrave make charges against a businessman who was unable to protest.

Said Mr. Gargrave later:

"I have great respect for Mr. Grauer as an individual and an administrator. Any remarks I made were as his position as titular head of a private utility and the relationship of that private utility to the government. My remarks were not to be construed as a personal reflection on Mr. Grauer."

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Mr. Wirth, veteran member who stated this was his 22nd session of the B.C. legislature, yesterday said he resented people signing letters under "Your obedient servant."

Building Plan 'Spoils View'

The building now planned by of the site. It is the opinion of the federal government on the the board that the project as site of the old post office on presently conceived will detract Government street would de- from the appearance of the tract from the appearance of inner harbor and that it will be the inner harbor, the Capital most unfortunate if it proceeds Region Planning Board said without further study.

yesterday.

Brahm Wiseman, planning [illegible] the board was essentially government, should also [illegible] question further before placed opposed to the design of the city with construction. Tenders new building and the site although have been called for the pro- it is thought if the government ject, estimated to cost between were going to make the matter $610,000 and $680,000.

The building will house the customs and immigration departments.

BOARD STATEMENT

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JERUSALEM (Reuter) — All criminal case hearings except for murder trials were suspended in Israel Thursday as side lawyers joined a one-day strike now in its third day. About 80,000 people in the professional, government and public services have walked out demanding higher wages.

The Bank of Canada was established as a central bank under legislation passed in 1934.

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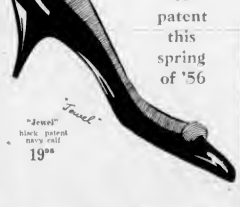

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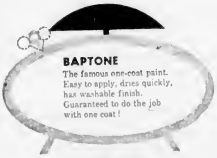

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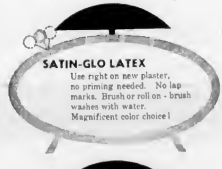

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Around the Island

Ladysmith Seeks PUC Approval To Raise Rates

LADYSMITH The city of Ladysmith will make application to the Public Utilities Commission to approve the proposed 25 per cent increase in water rates.

Purpose of proposed increase, discussed in council Wednesday night is to provide funds for as much capital work on the system as possible without borrowing. Increase would be general over the entire service area.

Residential rate in the city now is $2.

City clerk R. S. Wood was appointed returning officer for the referendum Feb. 25, dealing with a Sunday holiday. Retail merchants want all day Wednesday instead of present Thursday half day.

General appreciation was expressed by city council for the service rendered by E. W. Forward, C.A., 80 years, auditor for city of Ladysmith for 45 years, who has tendered his resignation. It was decided to advertise for a city auditor.

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NANAIMO — The Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce pre-

Long Career Ends

PORT ALBERNI After travelling more than 1,000,000 miles by train on Vancouver Island, Harry Jenner stepped off the E & N passenger engine here this week and said goodbye to a railroading career that started on the Island in 1911.

Mr. Jenner rose from super in engineer and during his 43 years of service and for the past six years has been in charge of the diesel engine on the Port Alberni mixed passenger freight run.

He brought his last train in on time and was met by his wife at the Port Alberni depot.

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NANAIMO — Two raid in transmitters are missing from the Nanaimo civil defence central control headquarters, according to director A. D. Gordon.

Communications director Cyril Edgington said the thieves were familiar with the equipment and knew which pieces to take. Two partially-built sets and some small parts were taken. Value is estimated at about $150.

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QUALICUM BEACH Plans were made by the PTA at a recent meeting to stage

pared yesterday to embark on a drive to induce new industries to start up here.

The chamber directors announced its budget had been doubled to $18,000 for the year, with $1,500 of that amount allocated for a campaign to attract industrial development. The directors said the chamber would support Mayor Earle Westwood's drive to have a metropolitan planning board set up.

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GANGES Archdeacon G. H. Holmes dedicated a window in St. George's church recently to the memory of Less Leggett a rancher both in the church and the women's auxiliary. Given by her husband, C. W. Leggett, and family, the window depicts the figure of St. George in full armour.

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Driver To Stand Trial

COURTENAY D. F. Neil Salmond was committed for trial in county court on a charge of criminally negligent driving, after a preliminary hearing before Magistrate John Ryland.

Salmond was the driver of a car which left the road and crashed into the brush at the corner of Anderton and Bloor roads in Comox Dec. 21.

His passenger, FO J. D. Whitehead, was killed in the crash.

Giving evidence at the hearing were Dr. H. J. Williams, Constable F. Moss of the RCMP highway patrol, Constable D. Calvert of Courtenay RCMP and Hugh Anderton, who lives near the scene of the crash. Two witnesses, FO J. Farmer and FO P. Marshall, and Kathleen Fillmore, who were with the two men earlier in the evening, also gave evidence.

The accused elected for trial by judge

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DENMAN ISLAND—Word has been received through John Gardner, B.C. Power Commission district manager, that the Commission has ap-

the polio fund drive on Feb. 18. Roy Thorstenson outlined the procedure in organizing a recreation commission from information obtained from A. J. Wishlaw and A. C. Batchelor, of the Community Programs branch in Victoria.

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Fascinated by Pet Snail

Ellen Weill, four, looks admiringly at Sammy, pet snail of David Howell, after it had taken fourth place in the unusual pet class at the Madison Square Boys' Pet Show in New York. A 15-year-old turtle won first prize. —(CPC)

No Cold Baths

Youth Gone Soft Professor Says

PORT ALBERNI Young people who constitute one of the most important resources of the country, are being permitted to grow soft, Dr. H. V. Warren, University of British Columbia professor, told a meeting here Thursday night.

"Canadian children are not getting up 10 minutes early in order to take exercises and cold baths before going to school," he said.

"There are communities in B.C. where children are not considered fit to walk two or three miles to school," he asked.

Lack of playing fields where urban youngsters can take part in team sports was cited as a threat in the country's wealth.

Fact that young men are growing up in cities with no real association with primary industries and without having played outdoor games was termed by Dr. Warren a contributing factor in a shortage of applications for such university courses as forestry, engineering, metallurgy and geology, essential to development of natural resources.

He compared actions of "mink-tail youngsters" with those of young people of medieval times when factions fought with staves as a means of letting off steam.

Average cost of rehabilitation for each young repeat offender is $43,055, he said, an amount which would provide a good-sized playing field.

"We are trying to get the idea across that if $300,000 is paid to build a school, 10 per cent of the amount should be allocated to provide a turfed playing field."

"Failure of Canadians to win in Olympic contests is inclined to make me think that we are getting soft," Dr. Warren concluded.

Civil Defence To Plan Nanaimo Escape Route

NANAIMO Nanaimo district course is being planned at which civil defence officials hope to members will tackle real problems being put into effect shortly a detailed escape route in case city residents have to be evacuated.

A. Dawson Gordon, director, "It would be advisable to have some plan on paper in case evacuation is necessary."

Civil defence members hope to develop the evacuation plan within three weeks. A report on progress will be presented at the next meeting.

RESCUE TEAM PLANNED

Local members also hope to organize a rescue team to be with evacuation in case planes bomb the city.

Two civil defence members hope to attend an emergency feeding school in Victoria Apr. 4 to 7. Deputy coordinator in Victoria has advised the Nanaimo group the school will be held at University school.

The coordinator in Victoria has written Nanaimo that a

Shawnigan Church Ready This Spring

SHAWNIGAN LAKE The new Shawnigan Lake United Church auditorium will hold a special service and meetings in Jaughland Baptist church at 7:30 p.m. each Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, Feb. 13 to 24.

Rev. D. B. Houghton officiated.

Born in Victoria, Mrs. Coslin came to Ladysmith 36 years ago. She was a well-known gardener.

Surviving are her husband, Albert; a daughter Jane and a son Edward Albert, all at home.

Ship Calendar

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ARRIVALS

DEPARTURES

Ladysmith Site Of Costin Rites

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Just Before the Battle Started

Watching the flip of the coin to determine which rink will throw first rock in their crucial Grand Challenge game last night are members of the Arden Brown (Vancouver) and Bill Wadsworth (Duncan) quartets. Wadsworth handed Brown his first defeat in the 61st annual B.C. Bonspiel with a 10-8 extra-end victory.

Shown above are, left to right, Frank Avery, who skips the Brown rink; Harvey Hodge, skip for the Duncan quartet; Wadsworth, who skips third; Brown, and Brown, who throws third rocks. (Colonist photo by Jim Ryan.)

Cougars Only One Point Back After 9-3 Romp Over Royals

By IAN GLENDAY

Victoria Cougars, who gave up first place to Vancouver Canucks back on November 15 and have been running second or third since that time, last night consolidated their hold on second place by defeating the Top position from the Blueboard team.

Cougars, who were awarded two points out of the Western seconds by the Royals' defensive Hockey League's western division lead less than three weeks ago, climbed to within a single point of the Canucks last night by blasting New Westminster, 9-3, before less than 2,500 fans at Memorial arena.

Seattle Americans jumped into the Cougar raise last night by handing the Canucks their fourth straight setback and third of the week, 4-0, at Vancouver.

WESTERN DIVISION

	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts
Vancouver	46	31	13	2	188	109	64
VICTORIA	46	30	13	3	177	109	63
Seattle	46	25	18	3	160	136	53
New Westminster	46	21	23	2	145	163	44

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Edmonton	46	31	13	2	182	131	64
Saskatoon	46	25	18	3	160	136	53
Regina	46	21	23	2	145	163	44
Brandon	46	15	28	3	130	188	33
Winnipeg	46	12	31	3	109	188	27

Last night's games: New Westminster at VICTORIA, Seattle at Vancouver, Calgary at Edmonton, Saskatoon at Regina, Brandon at Winnipeg. Tonight: Seattle at VICTORIA, at New Westminster.

victory. That means that if the Cougars, who have three games in hand on the Canucks, can beat Royals at New Westminster tonight and Seattle gets past Vancouver, Victoria will be alone in first place.

CHILPAS GETS THREE

Rookie left winger Don Chupka, an opportunist around the goal mouth all night, was the first "hat trick" of his professional career. Continuing pair with Skip Teal, who assisted on all three goals, the slim winger scored at 4:04 of the first period, banged in Victoria's fourth goal of the night by scoring at 18:15 of the second and beat his wife 17th goal of the season.

Speedy Wayne Brown, who is third leading point getter in the league with 54 points in the season, and Doug Anderson were the other Cougar marksmen. Anderson's tease while Bill Davidson scored his third goal of the night with Kilburn assisting. Kilburn picked up his 30th.

NUMB SCORES

Coach Max McNab, who suffered in rough following Wednesday's 5-2 defeat at the hands of Seattle but was given a vote of confidence by his players, scored Royals' first goal while Jim Morris went in company to Arnold Schmautz, a tireless worker last night, and Bobby Love.

Victoria's top line of Anderson-Kilburn and Pete Babando was kept well in check during the first period and part of the second. Anderson's goals were his 27th and 28th of the season and boosted his point total to 48. Kilburn, who also added two assists, continued his climb in the individual scoring race and now has 63 points while MacKinley picked up an assist for his 37th point.

Brown's appearance on every appearance, fired his 16th and 17th goals and throttled the crowd several times during a wide open third period with his 54th assist.

Penguin, skating well and showing on their passes, kept the pressure on the Royals at all times, continuously during the second and third periods and made things hot for Bessler with many scoring chances. Ben Hatskin added 31 shots and Jim Morris 30 as Bessler was the only Royal to escape with a clean sheet. Referee Frank Udvari officiated for a total of 17 shots.

WEAK DEFENCE

The Royals six points assist from a Powell berth northward, but it is the win to indicate that can marshall the three player Americans were badly disorganized throughout and especially during the closing period. Ben Bessler, among the Royal defensemen, was the only creditable performance.

Both the free attack in hockey and the penalty was one of the heaviest games of the season. Referee Frank Udvari has been called only four penalties, two for each. Coughs and pushes were one goal while the Royals were penalized two and two fights. The trouble-holding mid while the Cougars were penalized four.

FIRST PERIOD

1. Vancouver, Chupka (Teal, Brown) 4:04
2. New Westminster, Morris (Schmautz, Love) 6:47
3. Victoria, Brown (Anderson, Kilburn) 11:48
4. Victoria, Anderson (Kilburn, Babando) 14:11

Penalties—Kilburn, Chupka, Teal, Schmautz, Morris, Brown, Love, Davidson. Minutes—2 each.

SECOND PERIOD

5. Victoria, Chupka (Teal, Brown) 2:18
6. New Westminster, Morris (Schmautz, Love) 5:47
7. Victoria, Davidson (Kilburn, Anderson) 11:38

Penalties—Kilburn, Chupka, Teal, Schmautz, Morris, Love, Davidson. Minutes—2 each.

THIRD PERIOD

8. Victoria, Anderson (Kilburn, Babando) 1:08
9. New Westminster, Love (Robert, Schmautz) 13:00
10. Victoria, Brown (Teal, Kilburn) 14:00
11. Victoria, Chupka (Teal, Kilburn) 18:15
12. Victoria, Brown (Kilburn, Teal) 19:54

Penalties—Schmautz, Robert, Babando, Teal. Minutes—2 each.

Shots on goal:

	1	2	3	Total
Victoria	9	14	7	30
New Westminster	7	9	14	30

Referee—Frank Udvari. Linesmen—Ben Hatskin, Jim Morris.

Gutoski's Men Unbeaten As Rinks Enter Last Lap

By JIM TANG

Going into last night's late draw, Gutoski was in a three-way against Bellhouse in the eighth of the Grand Challenge. Total Curlings of Victoria was one of two undefeated rink in the B.C. bonspiel, when will end tomorrow for Victoria Curling Club.

Gutoski had won eight games and was in the finals of the Colt-the most Challenge where he will meet Don Harper of Kimberley, also undefeated today. If Gutoski defeats Bellhouse he will tangle with Bung Gutoski, Curmudgeon of Vancouver in the semi-finals of the Grand Challenge.

Going down to their first defeat in the Consolation event at the hands of Arden Brown of Vancouver and Bill Wadsworth of Duncan Wadsworth who has a 7-1 record, lost his first game when Harper defeated him in the quarter of the Colonial Challenge 10-5. The Harper rink, skippered by Earl Hodge, curled a brilliant 94%.

Going right back on the few Wadsworth made things easier for the draw committee by taking Brown out of the Grand Challenge in a thrilling extra ender Brown got back in the event with a 10-9 victory over the Colonial Challenge 10-5. The Harper rink, skippered by Earl Hodge, curled a brilliant 94%.

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BROWN IN RUNNING

Brown is also in the running for the Grand Aggregate with second and third chances. The Vancouver rink has an 8-1 showing. The Grand Aggregate winner will be decided on a won-lost percentage with all games played by the two primaries in the event.

Only five rinks remained in this evening going into last night's draw to addition to Gutoski and Harper, who won the rights of the Timmy Trophy. Dan McNaugh ended Dan MacDonald of Trail and Bill Karsia of Nanaimo had a chance to win McNaughton was in the finals of the Grand Challenge and the rights of the Hudsons Bay Trophy. Both rinks are playing for the eights of the Timmy Trophy and out to the rights of Gutoski and Harper, while Karsia was playing in the rights of Joe Kingston Trophies and out to the fours of the Barnes Trophy.

31 RINKS ALIVE

A total of 31 rinks were left in the bonspiel as play got under way last night's draw except the Kenny Trophy event where the quarter final games are slated to go on this evening with the draw at 8.

Results will be played this evening with as many games in

FRIDAY RESULTS
GRAND CHALLENGE
McNaughton (Nanaimo) 8 Dorsten (Victoria) 7
A. Brown (Vancouver) 7 Robertson (Victoria) 6
Wadsworth (Duncan) 10 Bell (Victoria) 9
Hodge (Duncan) 7 Towers (Victoria) 6
Harper (Kimberley) 10 Bell (Victoria) 5
COLONIAL CHALLENGE
Bell (Victoria) 10 Lucas (Victoria) 6
Harper (Kimberley) 10 L. Harper (Victoria) 4
Wadsworth (Duncan) 10 Lucas (Victoria) 5
A. Brown (Vancouver) 8 Cumming (Victoria) 4
Wadsworth (Duncan) 8 Cumming (Victoria) 7
A. Brown (Vancouver) 8 Marshall (Victoria) 6
Harper (Kimberley) 10 Wadsworth (Duncan) 5
Gutoski (Victoria) 8 Bellhouse (Victoria) 7
EATON'S FIRST
Manning (Victoria) 11 Thomas (Victoria) 5
Manning (Victoria) 9 James (Victoria) 7
Manning (Victoria) 8 Robertson (Victoria) 6
Manning (Victoria) 7 Rosenfeld (Victoria) 6
Manning (Victoria) 9 Wood (Victoria) 7
KER & STEPHENSON TROPHY
Hodge (Duncan) 9 Hodge (Victoria) 6
Hodge (Duncan) 10 Hudson (Victoria) 5
Hodge (Duncan) 8 Hodge (Victoria) 7
Hodge (Duncan) 9 Hodge (Victoria) 6
TIMMY TROPHY
Gutoski (Victoria) 11 Gutoski (Victoria) 5
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Bowling Roundup

City Tenpin Titles At Stake Tomorrow

By JIM TAYLOR

The top bowlers in the city will congregate at the Strathcona bowling alleys Sunday afternoon and evening to compete in the Victoria Tenpin Bowling Association fifth annual city champion ship tournament.

Fifty-six bowlers, who have qualified in the past two competitions, have entered the doubles and singles events which wrap up the tournament for another year.

Play begins at 1 p.m. tomorrow and continues until late Sunday night. Bowlers will roll six games apiece, three with their partners for the doubles event, and three on their own for the singles competition.

Complete draw and starting times are listed below.

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Darrel Baker bowling his first year in Gibson's senior league was high scorer for the week with a 638 mark. Baker rolled games of 209, 225 and 220 for his 638 total.

Other scores posted in the league were by R. Wilson 586 (214). B. Morris 576, Connie McBeth 570, Wilbur Mewis 567, 702 J. Morland 560, W. Holmes 549 (209), Ken Moore 549, W. Bates 544 (+39), George Brown 543, and A. Palmer 540. Roy Begg had a 234 single.

Lolly Hughes was high bowler in the women's major league with 484 (203).

Commercial 'Ins' action had Connie McBeth well in the lead with 595 (227), followed by George Brown 577 (226), B. Morris 572 (222), M. Lawson 560 (214), Bob Lyons 557 (221), and B. Hornby 551 (221).

Mixed tenpin honors at Gibson's went to Jack Hobby 566 and Fred Shaw, 547 (209).

At the Strathcona bowling alleys, Dave Williams racked up a 604 triple with a 220 single, closely followed by Ron Coulter with 596 (210). Bill Stevenson had 571 (221), Don McArthur posted a 566 (216), threesome, and Wilbur Wells rolled to a 551 mark.

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Capital City Bowladrome had a total of 23 over 700 triples recorded on its alleys this week, topped by Bill Cook's 844 mark. Other high fivepin threes were made by Roy Jago 799 (304), Stan Bell 798, 311, Bill Edgecombe 788, Ron Smith 777, Bill Hudson 763, Jim Nish 736, Dave Weir 735, Harry Cool 731, Dave Lambrick 727, Eileen McMillan 725, Harvie Butler 725 (319), Rud L. Atkinson 720, 313.

Single games of 300 or more were rolled by Bill Toller 386, Dave Stubbs 303, and Bob Miller 301.

L. White scattered the pins for an 817, 323, 318) triple - best for B. Foster 812 (304) for point honors in Gibson's fivepin circles. Mary Wallis followed with 792 (310), Jack Baker 750, J. Walker 746, W. MacDonald 742, Billy Noble 566, Russ Bird 732, Cec McCrae Walt Mosby and Will Smith 734, C. Rattray 728, and Reg Waggoner 725. Ivy Devine had a single of 315.

Alex Pelypa was top at Esquimalt with 796. Stan White and Alec Ross 778, Ron Wyatt 753, R. Gardner 741, John Middleton 730, L. Seddon 725, George Adams 725, and John Watt 720. Hat other high triples with singles were scored by Fred Preedy, 786, from White 317, and F. Wilson 760.

Bowling league ...

[illegible] Eisler and W. Newsham 9; Pete and E. Begg 11; Williams and Bell 9; Mr. and Mrs. Lawson 8; Mr. and Mrs. Bell and B. Lawson 8; Bell and Bell 7; Donaldson and R. Bennett 7; Petrie and J. Mosher 7; Petrie and W. J. Mosher 6; Orchard and R. Barnett 6; Pell and J. Mosher ...

[illegible] McKee and D. Craig 8; Dempster and A. Bell 7; Hughes and Mrs. Hughes 7; Mr. and Mrs. Hughes and B. Fowler 6; McKenzie and R. Dickey 6; Zimmerman and W. Peace 6; Mills and J. Mills 5; Mr. and Mrs. Stewart 5; Cornell and J. Anderson 5; Jones and A. Wood 5; Mr. and Mrs. Anderson 5; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis 5; Mr. and Mrs. Mosher 4; Hawkins and Mrs. ...

[illegible] Parsons and P. Smith 8; McChesney and B. Dempster 7; Lee and J. Flower 7; Fletcher and R. Bullock 7; Mr. and Mrs. Simpson 7; Hopkins and P. Brett 7; Cockett and C. McBeth 7; Gale and E. Fox 7; Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins 6; Mr. and Mrs. Gale 6; Mr. and Mrs. Cockett and C. Hopkins 5; Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins and D. Gale 5.

Ladies' ... Hall and T. Bennett 9; Hall and Mrs. Hall 8; Mr. and Mrs. Bennett 8; Mr. and Mrs. Pelypa 8; Mr. and Mrs. Hall 7; Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt 7; Mr. and Mrs. Brown 7; Mr. and Mrs. Bennett 6; Mr. and Mrs. Pelypa 6; Mr. and Mrs. Brown 5; Mr. and Mrs. Bennett 5; Mr. and Mrs. Pelypa 5; Mr. and Mrs. Bennett 4; Mr. and Mrs. Pelypa 4; Mr. and Mrs. Bennett 3; Mr. and Mrs. Pelypa 3; Mr. and Mrs. Bennett 2; Mr. and Mrs. Pelypa 2; Mr. and Mrs. Bennett 1; Mr. and Mrs. Pelypa 1; Mr. and Mrs. Bennett 0; Mr. and Mrs. Pelypa 0

In City Churches Sunday

Ash Wednesday Special Services To Usher In Lent

Majority of Victoria and district churches will hold special services Wednesday, which is Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent.

Throughout the Lenten season, which ends Easter Sunday, April 1 most churches will hold mid-week services each week.

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Rev. Wilson Buckingham of Sidney preaches both services in Metropolitan United church marks its 30th anniversary.

In a statement, Rev. F. E. R. James, outgoing, his fourth year as minister, told how the church began. Methodists met in the city hall "because it was the only building available and it was heated" and funds were $500.

Governor Sir James Douglas arranged a gift of land by the Hudson's Bay Company at Broad and Douglas and laid the cornerstone Aug 15 1859. Present church was built in 1890.

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Rev. Everett Earl Duncan, Los Angeles evangelist, opens a lengthy series of public lectures on astronomy and Bible prophecy in the Plaza theatre in morning.

He will speak at 2:15 and 7:15 p.m. Sundays in the Plaza and 7:15 p.m. Wednesdays in lectures in the Britannia Legion hall for the next 10 weeks.

First of the free illustrated lectures is on the topic "Are Other Worlds Inhabited?" Rev. Harold Keehnel, Seattle evangelist presents a musical program.

Anglican

Christ Church Cathedral—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Dr. Bell, R. E. Pitts Preaching, 11 a.m. Dean Beanlands. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Bell-Irving.

St. Mary's—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

St. Aidan's—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

St. Barnabas'—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

St. Mary Magdalene—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

St. Paul's—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

St. Saviour's—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

St. Stephen's—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

St. Timothy's—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

St. Andrew's—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

St. Matthias—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

St. Michael—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

All Saints—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

Church of the Good Shepherd—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

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St. Augustine—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

St. Peter's—Holy communion 8 a.m.; Rev. Canon Hinchliffe 11 a.m. Evensong 7:30 p.m. Rev. Canon Hinchliffe.

United

Metropolitan—Administer services 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. Rev. F. E. R. James preaching. The Rev. Wilson Buckingham of Sidney will preach at 11 a.m. service. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. F. E. R. James preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. F. E. R. James preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

First Church—Rev. Dr. Brown preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Brown preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

Oak Bay—Rev. Dr. Brown preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Brown preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

Fairfield—Rev. Dr. Brown preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Brown preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

Victoria West—Rev. Dr. Brown preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Brown preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

Belmont Avenue—Rev. Dr. Brown preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Brown preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

Langford—Rev. Dr. Brown preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Brown preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

Esquimalt—Rev. Dr. Brown preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Brown preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

Emmanuel Baptist—Rev. Dr. Brown preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Brown preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

First Baptist—Rev. Dr. Brown preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Brown preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

Central Baptist—Rev. Dr. Brown preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Brown preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian—Rev. Dr. Brown preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Brown preaching. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

Presbyterian

First—Rev. D. B. Rayfer speaks in Lecture Hall at 11 a.m. Rev. Dr. J. Edgar Campbell preaches at 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. J. Edgar Campbell preaches. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

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Knox—Rev. Dr. J. Edgar Campbell preaches at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. J. Edgar Campbell preaches. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

St. Columba—Rev. Dr. J. Edgar Campbell preaches at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. J. Edgar Campbell preaches. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

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St. Augustine—Rev. Dr. J. Edgar Campbell preaches at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Evensong at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. J. Edgar Campbell preaches. The Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. service.

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Cooper Heads Baptist Group

George Cooper of the Douglas Street Baptist group was elected 19th chairman of the Victoria denominational young people's committee of Victoria at the annual meeting recently.

Rochelle Barbara Oliphant, Committee approved the idea of a "sober" New Years Eve party.

Other Denominations

Jewish Church of the Nazarene—Rev. [illegible] preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

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Evacuation 'Only Chance'

Mass evacuation of Greater M.L.A. for Victoria, said in the Victoria residents in time of legislature this week the plan enemy attack is "their only was impractical because no al- chance for survival," civil lowance had been made to take defence co-ordinator Roger care of evacuees when they ar- Peachey said yesterday. rived at reception areas.

Mr. Peachey answering re- A detailed plan, when com- solutions [illegible] in principle by the civil defence every householder giving full control board, said there was instructions route to take out some "unfortunate misunder of the city and how people will standing" about it. be sheltered and provided for.

George Gregory, Liberal-Mr. Peachey answered.

Four-Hour Session Extended

Teachers' Hearing Races Deadline

In a race against the Feb. 14 Hodgon, that there was a short- agreed on a round figure total centages required to pay for deadline for a decision on age of teachers throughout the of $18,000 for teachers' de- ann increases in salaries. Vic- Greater Victoria teachers' sal- province. Victoria teachers' sal- aries, arbitration board mem- case in this school district. We sa aries, arbitration board mem- case in this school district. We sa ales

bers yesterday urged counsel have a surplus . . . " Secretary treasurer, Mr. Esquimalt, 4.85, oman Saanich, for both sides to step up ques- Both sides yesterday finally Christie said that of the per 22.05 and View Royal 1.96 hearing and presentation of arguments.

day, hearings slowed to a crawl with testimony given by Joh- Gough, municipal schools in- spector, and T. L. Christie, secretary - treasurer of the Greater Victoria school board.

In the school board brief W. H. M. Haldane Q.C. pointed out that an arbitration board in 1953 had created "a situation of parity" of salary schedules for teachers in Greater Victoria, Sooke and Saanich.

"Should the parity . . . be disturbed, a chaotic situation could result for school districts 62 and 63," he said.

DIRECT CHARGE

In another point, he said that an increase in the teachers would "be a direct charge on the taxpayers of the school district. There would be no shareable participation by the provincial government."

Mr. Haldane pointed out that the contiguous school districts have schedules in effect for 1956 "equal to or lower than the existing tea her" salary schedule in the Victoria district.

The brief also stated that "there has been no appreciable change" in the consumer price index during the past year.

Mr. Haldane said the board "has been assured" by its in- spectors that there has been "no difficulty in obtaining reason- able well-qualified teachers" under the existing salary sched- ule.

MANY APPLICATIONS

On this point Mr. Gough testified earlier that there "were more applications of teachers re- ceived by the board than can be placed in the system."

He and he agreed with tea- hers' spokesman, Mrs. Hazel

Rev. T. G. Griffiths Set for Cornwall

After 28 years in Victoria presbytery of the United church Rev. T. G. Griffiths leaves Feb. 18 for "at least a year" as the Congregational church in St Ives, Cornwall, England.

The 67-year-old, Welsh-born minister had charge of Salt Spring, Ladysmith, Sidney and St. Aidan's churches in order until he became Vancouver Island home missions convenor in 1947.

He preaches in Esquimalt United at 7.30 p.m. tomorrow.

QUALICUM BEACH Glen Naylor was elected chief of the volunteer fire department at a recent meeting of mem- bers. Former chief, Fred Heard, will remain in an ad- visory capacity. It is hoped that the present member- ship of 10 may be raised to 15.

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Principal and half-yearly interest (January 15 and July 15) and redemption premium, if any, are to be payable at the holder's option in lawful money of Canada at par at any branch in Canada of the Company's bankers or in lawful money of the United States of America at par at The Royal Bank of Canada Trust Company in the City of New York. Series B Debentures are to be issued as coupon Debentures or registered Debentures of $ 500 and $1,000 respectively as to principal only and as fully registered Debentures in denominations of $1,000 and authorized multiples thereof.

Series B Debentures will be redeemable (otherwise than out of sinking fund moneys) prior to maturity at any time in whole or from time to time in part at the option of the Company on thirty days' notice at the principal amount thereof plus a premium of 2½% of and principal amount if redeemed on or before January 15, 1965, the said premium being reduced by 1/2 of 1% of said principal amount for each year commenced or elapsed after January 15, 1965 to the date specified for redemption up to and including January 15, 1980 and thereafter and prior to maturity at the principal amount thereof, together in all cases with accrued interest to the date specified for redemption, provided that the Company shall not call for redemption any Series B Debentures otherwise than out of sinking fund moneys on or before January 15, 1965 in connection with a refunding operation by the application, directly or indirectly, of borrowed funds. Series B Debentures will be redeemable out of sinking fund moneys on thirty days' notice at the principal amount thereof plus accrued interest to the date specified for redemption.

Sinking Fund

The Company will covenant to pay to the Trustee as and by way of a sinking fund for the 4½% Sinking Fund Debentures, Series B on or before January 15 in each of the years 1957 to 1980, both inclusive, a sum sufficient to retire in each of such years $500,000 principal amount of Series B Debentures. Such sinking fund payments and the retirement of a further $500,000 principal amount of Series B Debentures at maturity will be sufficient to retire all of the Series B Debentures by maturity. Particulars concerning the sinking fund are more fully set out in the prospectus.

Trustee: National Trust Company, Limited

In the opinion of counsel, these Series B Debentures will be an investment in which the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act (Canada) states that a company registered under Part III thereof may invest its funds, without resorting to the provisions of subsection (1) of section 64 of such Act.

We, as principals, offer these Series B Debentures subject to prior sale and change in price, if, as and when issued by the Company and accepted by us and subject to the approval of all legal matters on behalf of the Company by Messrs. Fraser, Beatty, Tuckey, McIntosh & Stewart, Toronto, and on our behalf by Messrs. Tory, Miller, Thomson, Hicks, Arnold & Sedgewick, Toronto.

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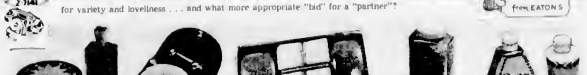

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"Ishah" dusting powder and cologne set ... attractively packaged in turquoise and black gift box. Ritz's newest fragrance. Set **6.00**

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Save today on these well-tailored tavon gabardine pants. You'll feel them smart to wear this Spring with your jackets, sweaters and sport shirts. Pleated front and zipper closing. Fawn blue or grey shades ... also neat check patterns. Sizes 30 to 42 in group. Special, pair **4.69**

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Please your loved one on February 14th with one of these lively heart-shaped boxes filled with 16 ounces at EATON'S own Cottage Sweet chocolates. They're delicious hand-dipped chocolates made in EATON'S own candy kitchens. Special, box **1.39**

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Special, pair **1.09**

Give 2 pairs for Valentine's Day ... 2 pairs **2.09**

Also:
54-gauge Pedomer nylons ... Special, pair **79c**
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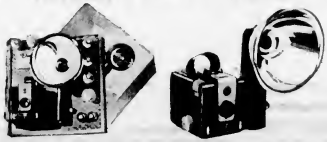
For Valentine's—Give a Camera



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Men's Pyjamas

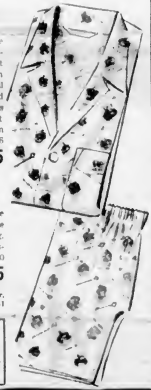
Made in tailored style from fine quality, "Sanforized" and colourfast broadcloth. White with novelty crown design all over. Comfortable fit and easy washing pyjamas have button front coat and elastic tie waist on pants. Sizes A to E. (36 to 44).

Pair **6.95**

Boxer Shorts

Made from the same fine quality fabrics with the same novelty designing. Tailored style with elasticized waist. Sizes 30 to 40.

Pair **1.95**



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The Spotlight Today Is on BOYS' WEAR

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EATON Spotlight Sale, each **1.19**

Denim Blue Jeans

These are even cheaper buying two pairs at a time! ... thrifty mothers will do this because they are the boys' favourite casual pants ... 8-oz. "Sanforized" cotton denim made for rugged wear. Sizes 6 to 16 years.

EATON Spotlight Sale,

Pair **2.59** 2 pair **5.00**

Regularly 8.95 and 9.95 Jackets

Water-repellent rayon and nylon blend gabardine jackets with full rayon lining, full zipper front and two side pockets. Made with semi-fitting shirred elastic waist. Grey, blue, brown and rust. Sizes 6 to 18 years.

EATON Spotlight Sale, each **5.99**

EATON'S—Boys' Wear, Third Floor, Phone 2-7141

MEN'S SHOES

Fine Quality Shoes Made Expressly for EATON'S by one of England's Leading Manufacturers ... "Sanitized," Too!

Popular styles ... good wearing leathers, mostly leather lined. Uppers of English calf or French calf. Goodyear welted soles of hard wearing oak tanned leather in single and double service weights. Distinctively styled shoes at one low price. Sizes 6 to 12, C, D and E widths.

EATON Spotlight Sale Price, pair **9.98**

EATON'S—Family Shoe Centre, Second Floor, Phone 2-7141

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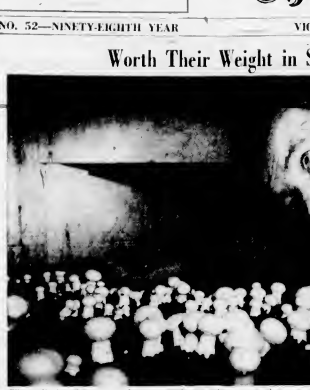
Worth Their Weight in Silver



These little white mounds are nearly worth their weight in silver to Fred Herman of Duncan, who is Vancouver Island's biggest mushroom grower. — (Colonist photo by Alec Merriman.)

All Overhead Wiring To Go By 1960 in Downtown Area

Downtown Victoria is to be free of ugly overhead wiring—probably by 1960.

City council approved in principle yesterday a B.C. Electric Company Ltd. offer to place its overhead wires underground in the next four years at about 30 blocks.

The $2,250,000 B.C. Electric program is expected to be tied in with the city's own beautification and street-improvement plans, and will sooner or later demand a council answer to a question that may be contentious: should Victoria abandon its cluster lights?

Mayor Percy Scurrah told city council yesterday he wanted to read the B.C. Electric's offer to the aldermen himself because it was so important.

E.W. Arnott, B.C. Electric vice-president, recalled in a letter that the city had made representations to the company in 1950 about placing certain electrical wires underground.

But the Korean war broke out, many critical materials were in short supply, and the federal government took action to restrict credit and the spending of capital for non-essential purposes. City council agreed that no action should be taken under those conditions.

Job Costs $2,250,000

"During the past year," Mr. Arnott said, "my company has given further consideration to this matter and I now wish to inform you that subject to the city's approval, the company is prepared to undertake, over a four-year period, the placing of its electrical overhead wires underground in the downtown city centre area bounded by Belleville street, Government street, Herald street and Blanshard street—an area comprising approximately 30 city blocks. We estimate the cost of this work to be in the neighborhood of $2,250,000.

"Subject to the city's concurrence, it is our proposal that the work of constructing underground ducts, manholes, etc., be carried out during the fall, winter and spring months of 1956-57 and 1957-58. The installation of the wiring in the ducts, hooking of transformers and other pertinent equipment would be undertaken during the following two years in this way we feel Victoria city's tourist trade would not be seriously interfered with."

(A company spokesman also said later that this scheduling of the work would provide jobs in the slacker months of the year.)

"We have noted through the press that the city has or will shortly complete a long-range street improvement plan and we are most hopeful that our planned underground work can tie in with this program insofar as it affects the area of our proposed underground activities."

Mr. Arnott indicated that the city's co-operation would be needed in the provision of additional underground ducts where necessary for ornamental street lighting as well as other services using the B.C. Electric power poles.

Lines Already Buried

B.C. Telephone Company lines in the downtown area already are underground.

Mayor Scurrah said he thought the underground wires would be a very important improvement" and aldermen agreed. They adopted the proposal in principle and referred it to the public works committee for a quick study of details.

Kenneth Reid, city lighting superintendent, said later that the whole matter of future illumination of the downtown area would have to be considered by the city.

The lighting provided, he said, should be planned to last the city for 30 years.

Cluster lights already were being supplemented with mercury lighting, and slender steel poles had been used for the mercury lighting on the 700 block of Yates, instead of the B.C. Electric poles.

The cluster lights, he said, already were 35 or 40 years old and "the public may as well know it now, we've arrived at the point where we can no longer get adequate supplies for the replacement of bulbs. They received last year's orders for replacements, but some sizes are unobtainable."

But, Mr. Reid said, abandonment of cluster lights would not lessen congestion now warranted by putting the lines underground—"in terms of a modern city, the system has advantages to both sides."

Besides, he said, "power companies are not without feeling regarding aesthetic values."

'Old One Fire Hazard'

New Station Vital Says Fire Chief

By R. O. MARRION
Colonist City Hall Reporter

Fire Chief Frank W. Briers made three recommendations to city council in his annual report yesterday. Foremost was provision of a new headquarters fire station without delay.

He also asked for a new, factory-built, 1,000-gallons-a-minute pumper unit and 14 more men, to provide an additional four-man company.

"The market building, which is occupied in part by the fire department, is a very old structure with brick walls and wood-joisted interior," he said.

FIRE HAZARD

"The extensive use of 'V' joint lumber for covering interior walls and partitions, and the large expanse of glass-covered roof, would make a hot, fast-burning fire.

"The market building and fire station are heated by individual coal and wood heaters and some gas heaters, which are not recommended, creating an additional fire hazard.

TRAFFIC DANGER

"The increase of traffic at certain times of the day in this area, and the parking of cars at the rear of the station hampers the efficient operation of the department.

"I am aware that the matter of providing a new headquarters fire station has been brought to your attention previously. I therefore request serious, immediate consideration."

FIRE CHIEF FRANK BRIERS

Ton of Mushrooms Each Week Produced by Island 'Factory'

By ALEC MERRIMAN

Every week, from his little Alexander street "factory" in Duncan, Fred Herman ships more than a ton of mushrooms to markets in Duncan, Victoria, Nanaimo and the mainland.

Mr Herman has recently completed a new $8,000 plant where he grows the mushrooms in five rooms each with seven tiers, encompassing 100 square feet.

He has no difficulty marketing his large, white, appetizing crop which grows to maturity every 27 days.

But it is not just as easy as that.

All the growing rooms are thermostatically heat-controlled. For the first 10 days after the spawn is planted the heat must be 75 degrees. For the next 17 days until picking time the temperature is kept from 60 to 64 degrees.

"If I don't have the heat I lose the whole crop," he explained.

Mr. Herman buys his mushroom spawn from Oregon every few weeks. He plants the spawn in highly fertilized compost and after the mushrooms are two-thirds grown he puts a one-inch covering of soil on them.

After every crop he changes all the compost and soil.

His mushrooms sell at 50, 55 and 60 cents a pound.

Fred Herman started in a small way eight years ago with a couple of trays in his basement. His business has grown in proportion and he has had to take in a partner, W. T. Bomford of Marchmont road, Duncan, and it is growing so quickly he expects to have to hire additional help soon.

Seen In Passing

Tom Austen making music on an organ that's a bachelor affair from Saskatchewan, and formerly taught organ and piano in Saskatoon. Six years ago he came here from Vancouver and has been in charge of the T. Eaton Company organ and piano sales demonstration every since. He and his pretty wife, **Mary**, have two children, **Betty**, 9, and **Ron**, 7, and they live at 910 Walema, Cadboro Bay. Ice skating and color photography are his hobbies) . . . **George Gordon** breathing on an egg and milk while others nod turkey and beer . . . **Fred Tanner** gracefully throwing a ban at George's egg and almost knocking it over . . . **Ralph Pashley** passing unnoticed through a downtown crowd . . . **Margaret** (lay taking over a more comfortable seat on a bus . . . **Mary Barclay** sporting a new hat . . . **Joyce Pearce** telling her husband, **Bill**, she definitely intends to drive the new car . . . **Deidre Dunham**, a Dublin Irish girl, smiling at customers in the Strathcona Cafe . . . **Pat Rouse** of Cearns Saanich taking in a rattle jug-ging school . . . **Ed Forrest** having lunch in a Downtown restaurant.

Around Town

Mayor Favors Referendum For Racetrack

The question of a racetrack at Beaver lake was "not discussed in particular—it's not an issue between us," Mayor Percy Scurrah said yesterday after a long conference with Reeve Arthur Ash of Saanich at city hall.

"As far as I am concerned, personally, I'll never go for a racetrack there unless the people of Saanich want it," he said.

"It comes back to a referendum for the whole of Saanich," the mayor was asked.

"Yes," he replied.

Regarding the city's action to have a Saanich lass sale of city-owned Beaver lake land set aside, the mayor said the action was proceeding, but seemed a "formality."

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Vandalism in city parks was lighter in 1955 than the previous year, Park Administrator W. H. Warren informed council yesterday in his annual report.

His provided these totals: losses of trees on boulevards, $350; injury to ornaments at Rose Bay cemetery, $100; theft and vandalism in parks, $750.

More Fires, Less Loss

Fire loss in Victoria in 1955 was the lowest in 10 years, Fire Chief Frank W. Briers said yesterday in his annual report.

The fire chief said that although the loss was down, the number of fires was up.

"Prompt and efficient action by the department can be credited with some excellent saves and the work of both officers and men has been of a high standard at all fires," he said.

The chief reported 940 alarms in 1955 and said the fire loss was $55,581.

In 1954, the fire loss was $500,247, and the 10-year average was $170,972.

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Flash fire originating in paint thinner caused minor damage yesterday in a two-storey business and apartment block at Hillside and Quadra.

Nine persons fled the same building Dec. 28 when fire, which began behind bakery ovens, caused more than $1,000 damage. Flames yesterday blistered a door which an workmen were completing renovations resulting from the earlier blaze.

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A youth about 17 years of age seen running from a park

Seven Trials Scheduled When Assize Court Opens

Seven trials are listed for hearings in Victoria Assize court opening March 12.

Harry Hansen, Springfield avenue is charged with a break-in and theft at Amberlee Products Ltd., Alderly road, on Dec. 24.

Bhaga Singh and Nelson Binks, Pickford road, near Hutchinson of Victoria are accused of possession of house-breaking instruments last Nov. 16.

Also on Saanich Frederick Schultz on the death Dec. 28 of Jasper of Vancouver faces a similar charge.

Following an accident at John Gerald J. Grees, Gordan Head son and Catherine.

Peter II Bell, HMCS Naden, charge of manslaughter charge 26 in Saanich Frederick Schultz on the death Dec. 28 of Jasper of Vancouver faces a similar J. Charles, Becher Bay Indian

Witchcraft Play Opens Tonight

Victoria Theatre Guild will present a two-week run of the comedy about witchcraft, "Bell, Book and Candle" in Lansbury Club Theatre at 8:15 tonight.

"Mind you, I can't grumble. There's many much worse off than me. But that extra $15 or so would make so much difference."

"I don't have much left now after paying $55 for this apartment.

"I used to look forward to being really comfortable in my old age, but now I can't even buy clothes. Luckily I've always been a good manager."

Here's a call to all old-age pensioners in the city. This evening at 5:30, the Faith Temple missionary circle, at 1415 Blanshard, is giving a free supper.

"After the meal there will be a musical evening," said an organizer.

"We should be full. If pensioners who would like to come would let us know at 4-0380 so that we know how many to expect."

City stores have helped provide food for the supper.

A former "Old Country" barber, **E. Henry, 886 Wilmer, has offered to cut pensioners' hair free of charge.**

"I should like to have about two up here each evening. If there are some who have difficulty walking, I could go to their home," he said.

A welcome room for elderly women is now operating in a room given by the Pro Patria branch of the Canadian Legion.

"We used to be in a room on Cormorant street, but the steep stairs were too much for many of our women," said Mrs. D. W. Piercy, chairman.

"We serve tea daily at noon and 3 p.m., except Wednesdays and Sundays, and there is no charge. We are open from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

"We visit any of our pensioners who are sick, and do what we can to help in other ways, with clothes and so on.

"They play bingo, or any game they like, but I think they mostly enjoy chatting with each other."

As for my $50 budget for the month, my only expense yesterday was 80 cents which I spent on a riotous, three-course meal in a restaurant.

This means I have $8.33 left and nine days in which to spend it.

Board Dispute Mediator Named

William McLaughlin has been appointed conciliation officer in a labor contract dispute between Victoria school board, district 61, and 140 workers, represented by Victoria School Board Employees' Association (TLC).

The painters, engineers, engineer janitors, maintenance workers and gardeners seek changes in union security, grievance procedure, holidays, overtime, wages and other conditions. Labor Minister Lyle Wicks announced.

City Council Agrees To Raise Staff Pay

City council agreed yesterday to a 3.92 per cent salary increase for city hall inside staff, about $4 a month for the average worker.

The settlement, City Manager C. C. Wyatt reported, will cost the city about $700 a month more in 1956.

STAFF OBJECTIVES

The City Hall Employees' Association, representing the 164 inside staff members, had asked for a general pay increase in all categories, service pay of two per cent for the first five years of service, payment in employees' wages for holidays, payment for their usual jobs, four weeks of holiday each year after 25 years of service, and revised calculation of overtime pay.

The association agreed to Mr. Wyatt's two-year contract proposal.

The agreement provides for no action on the longer holidays or accrued sick pay, but allows the 10 cent service pay and provides for increased salary for time worked in excess of ten weeks in a higher position.

The pay increase is determined by a formula of which Ald. M. H. Mooney said, "You would have to be a genius in algebra, I think, to figure it out."

Last year is taken as a basis year because last year's salaries were the result of a conclusion board's findings.

MULTIPLY, DIVIDE

The formula takes the monthly wage for the base year, multiplies it (this year) by the average consumer price index for 1955, divides for the consumers' price index for 1954, and provides a "current wage."

This equivalent is then multiplied by 1.75, computed annually, to produce the answer on the employee's salary.

The 1.75 per cent figure is taken, Mr. Wyatt explained, because it is the amount that has been calculated by one of Canada's outstanding accountants as an increase which is consistent with a stable level of progress for all commodities and services, resulting from increased national productivity."

Ald. Annie Curtis and Ald. Geoffrey Bigelow complimented Mr. Wyatt on his efforts in producing the formula, but Ald. Mooney and Ald. Mrs. Lily Wilson both agreed the agreement should be studied further.

Saanich council offered its municipal employees an increase of 2% per cent wage increase for 1956 the request with preliminary and 3% per cent for 1957, across approval, by the board, provided two-year co-ward said.

Increa were approved by Reeve Arthur Ash said last night

Both groups asked for a 20-per-cent wage increase.

Human Ash Problem Help Asked

Problem of unclaimed ashes of deceased Victorians lying for years in funeral home vaults may be dealt with by the provincial government.

Reginald Hayward, Sr., managing director of Hayward's Ltd., said last night the attorney-general's department had been approached with a view to changing regulations restricting disposal of ashes by funeral homes.

Government officials viewed the matter sympathetically, he said.

Election This Year, Next Year, Sometime—

Premier W. A. C. Bennett angrily stated yesterday that talk of an upcoming election was only the product of "discouraged and frustrated politicians."

"You mean there won't be an election this year?" he was asked.

"There will be an election when there is an election," he retorted. "There might be an election in 1958, or 1957, or 1956. An election will only be called when it is in the best interests of the people."

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Widow Pays Penalty for Growing Old

Why should a widow have her super-annuative payments reduced because she becomes eligible for old age pensions at 70? This is a question posed by Daily Colonist staff writer Chris Foster whose report on the plight of Victoria's elderly widows has brought to light some tragic and enlightening experiences among old people in Greater Victoria.

By CHRIS FOSTER

Sometimes the wheels of government seem to "grind exceeding small."

Yesterday I met a woman of 70 whose husband worked nearly 50 years in a provincial government department.

When her husband died in 1951 she was granted $82.50 a month superannuation.

But when she reached the age of 70, last August, and received the federal $10 pension, her $82.50 was cut to $66.50 a month, she told me.

This lady, who once weighed 147 pounds but is now 88 pounds, said: "Please don't print my name. You see, the government would penalize me again.

"It's rather amusing, really. The time when they 'cut my superannuation was the time they raised their own salaries by—what was it, $1,000?

Couple Married At Christ Church

At a double ring ceremony in Christ Church Cathedral on Friday morning, Leta B daughter of Mr. and Mrs A. G. Brandson, 960 Heywood avenue, exchanged marriage vows with Mr. Dirk F. Van Maaner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Maaner, 3697 Saanich road. The Very Rev. Dean Brian Whitlow officiating.

The bride, given in marriage by her father wore an ensemble of turquoise velvet with matching hat and carried a white Bible. Mrs. D. C. Prideaux was matron of honor for her attire and she wore a grey suit with accessories.

Rev. E. Hufford of St. Jacdes Church, Vancouver was best man.

Following a wedding breakfast at the Strathcona Hotel Mr. and Mrs. Van Maaner left on a honeymoon in Vancouver. They will reside in Victoria.

Young Woman Adopts Seven More Children

LEMONT, Pa. (AP) — A tea, young and unmarried woman chiropractor, already the foster mother of two children orphaned nine years ago, heads for Idaho soon to collect seven little Indiana whom she intends to adopt.

The whole happy brood will be turned loose in Dr. Imogene Baker's five-bedroom house which she says, "we can fix up here and there to accommodate all nine children and a married couple now living with me."

"We all agree it will be a lot of fun. They need help, and I easy give it to them. That's all there is to it."

"If there is one thing that troubles me," continued the 29-year-old Dr. Barker, "it is that the Indian children will all have to have their names changed from their tribal ones. I frankly admit it's going to be some task to find suitable names for three four girls and three boys."

NOT REALLY CONCERNED

It was plain that she wasn't really concerned even about that. It was the kind of pretend that arises up the glorious easy going, competent nature of a single woman who after years ago took on the job of rearing two children whose father had died in a hospital where she had been training. The children, both boys, now are 11 and 13.

Clubs, Societies

Victoria and District Cornish Association will meet at the home of Mrs. E. Stevens, 1927 Caledonia avenue on Saturday, Feb. 11 at 8 p.m.

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There will be a Valentine homecooking and miscellaneous stalls on Saturday from 2.30 to 5 p.m. in the Open Door Spiritualist Church, 1600 Cook street.

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The Ladies Auxiliary to Ex. Service Men's Canadian Legion, No. 172, will meet at 622 Admirals road on Monday, February 13.

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The Anthonian branch of St. Saviour's WA will meet at the home of Mrs. Victor Grange, 976 Wilson street, Monday, Feb. 13 at 2 p.m.

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A pancake tea will be held Feb. 14, Shrove Tuesday, in aid of the St. Columba church rectory fund, at 1100 Burnside road. Mrs. C. G. Piddington will be hostess for the 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. tea.

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The SOS Club of Queen City Chapter, No. 5, will hold a Valentine Day coffee party from 11 a.m. till 2 p.m. in the Douglas room of the Hudson's Bay on Tuesday, Feb. 14.

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On Tuesday, Feb. 14 a Valentine tea and home cooking stall will be held in St. Chad's Mission hall Mount Douglas, corner of Majestic and Hampshire avenue. The tea will be served at 2.30 p.m. by the ladies' auxiliary. Mrs. F. Pike and sponsored by the parish guild. Public welcome is extended to all.

A LOVELIER YOU

By Mary Sue Miller

MODEL MEASUREMENT	
HEIGHT	UPPER ARM
5'-5'3"	8½"
5'4"-5'6"	9"
5'7"-5'8"	9½"
over 5'9"	10"

MODEL MEASUREMENT. For lovelies who have written to ask what an ideal upper arm measurement is, the answer measurement varies with height and bony structure. To figure out what your own should be, locate height on chart above and not measurement at right angle. As given. It is correct for you if you have an average-sized frame. But with delicata structure, subtract one inch — or add an inch to compensate for a large build.

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VALENTINE TEA

The WA to the Prince Edward Branch No. 91 of the Canadian Legion will hold a Valentine tea on Wednesday, Feb. 15 at 2.30 p.m., in the Legion hall, Dunford avenue, Langford. There will be a home-cooking stall and tea will be convened by Mrs. O. Monahan.

St. John's Ladies' Guild will meet on Monday, Feb. 13 in the Fireside room of the parish hall at 2.30 p.m.

Living in Alberni

Mrs. Gerald Poirier, the former Miss Ann Lundquist, whose marriage took place recently at the home of Mrs. G. Smith, 811 St. Charles street. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lundquist, 2583 Cranmore road, and her groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Poirier, Alberni. The newlyweds are now making their home in Alberni.—(Chevrons studio.)

Beauty And You

BY MARION MATTHEWS

A firm, straight figure shows off fashion's gift the slim silhouette. In a sheath dress you can't hide many figure defects and particularly a swayback. Begin today the battle of the curving back line, if you have this figure problem. By spring you may find you can wear the new clothes with more confidence.

Exercise can work a change in the back that swings out of line. To help overcome the bad posture and carriage that provide a sway back try these few exercises, which you should do with regularity:

Stretch out on the floor with arms at right angles to the body. Raise feet together and bend knees, trying to touch them to the chest. This helps speed the small of the back flat to the floor. Then slowly straighten legs and lower to floor. Try to keep back flat as possible all the time you do this. Another similar exercise and one you can perform with ease even during the day is to stand at the wall (remove shoes) with back pressed straight against it. Hold this position for several seconds, then try to walk away from the wall holding this straight line in back. It takes time to achieve results but certainly they are worth the improved appearance and feeling that follow.

Sometimes it is good that fashion makes certain demands of us, for it does help promote our normal interest in appearance and good health. Choose from current styles those which do the most for your face and figure then see that you do "dressed for them."

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Society Matron Kept Busy But Profits by Cooking

GREENWICH, Conn. (UPI)—It is easy to find women who cook for a living, and it is possible to find women who love without learning to cook—but almost never do you find a society matron who makes a business out of cooking.

Mrs. Pierce Onthank has a three-bedroom home on Cadillac Drive in this fashionable suburban neighborhood. Her garage is not filled with Cadillac garages may be found. She and an old family friend, Mrs. Sally Duval, run a profitable catering business that could floor fish in any community where enough people give enough parties.

They not only cook the food personally on request, but they take over the table setting, feed serving and have somebody run the vacuum cleaner after the guests leave. It's a sort of pack age deal that turns a harried housewife into a one-night host ess with the mostest.

Mrs. Onthank is the wife of a vice-president of the New York City Chemical Corn Exchange Bank who never cooked a meal in her life until the Second World War came along.

"I started baking cakes for the USO in New London, Conn., for their Saturday night parties," the sandwiches-making mother of three and keen agora recalled.

The cakes didn't turn into a full-fledged catering service until after the war "when they were here.

"By 1945 I was making two pies and two cakes and three pans of brownies every day for the local hospital's service shop." Mrs. Onthank said. "I just followed recipes and experimented some if I didn't like them."

From simple baking she graduated to wedding cakes for friends, then to occasional casserole dishes, and finally in 1947 she and Mrs. Duval decided to open a shop where people could buy hot casserole dishes and homemade cakes.

Parties and wedding catering got to be such a big business they gave up their shop but kept the name, "Pick-up Pantry," for their service.

"The women we hire as waitresses are almost all local housewives who want to make a little extra money," Mrs. Onthank said. "The men who work as bartenders almost all have other occupations — some are carpenters and policemen, and one man is a local high school teacher."

The two partners have invested their own set of Wedgwood china for hire Mrs. Onthank and Mrs. Duval bought a station wagon to do our first wedding reception," she said. "We were scared out of our wits. Eye we found out where to get glasses and chairs and we served the 125 guests without any hitches."

One of their most popular menus for an informal dinner is beef and kidney pie, frozen green salad and fresh cocoa nut cake.

Mrs. Onthank had just finished baking and decorating a three-tier wedding cake before she was interviewed at lunch, and had another to decorate after lunch. The next day she was to bake five rum-flavored chocolate chiffon pies.

It's hard work but you can make money at it," she said. "It means a business can be completely free She can come downstairs as the guests arrive with her nails perfect what woman doesn't like to entertain that way?"

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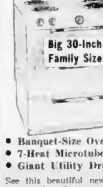
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Personal Mention

Miss Betty Lou Hemingson, 2302 Florence street, entertained at a coke party prior to attending the Cowd dance at Victoria College last evening. Among the guests were the rumpus queen contestants, Misses Mona Hunter, Barbara Stevens, Rita Leeds, Jean Hilland, Hilarie Hale, Susan Cree, Marilyn Cann, Heather Manson, and their escorts, Court Hardwick, Allan Orr, Perry Hoy, Clive Piercy, Larry Dick, John Manning, Michael Fox, Dave Anderson, Robert Ford, Ron Marrs and Ted Cyngler.

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Buffet Supper Party

Miss Doreen Lapsley, Arthur drive, entertained at a buffet supper party last evening on the occasion of her birthday. Guests were the Misses Dell Cabelli, Alix Husband, Sandra Gilmore, Dale Spilsbury, Nancy Cumming, Marilyn Patterson, Sue Smith, Collette Renard, Colleen Heaney, Carol Macmillan, Meredith Savage, Claudia Butler, Anne Wurtele, Susan Corker and Elisa Stanner.

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Engagement Party

A family dinner party to celebrate the announcement of the engagement of Miss Beverley Husband and Mr. Ian Glendey was given by the former's sister, Mrs. L. G. Dillabaugh at her home, 877 Hampshire road, on Sunday evening last. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Husband, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Glendey, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Husband, Miss Mary Dillabaugh, Master Brice Dillabaugh, Master Brian Husband and Master Bobby Husband.

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Fly to Honolulu

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Alexander, 2690 Lincoln road, left Monday via Seattle, Wash. to fly direct to Honolulu. They will return to Victoria the early part of April, and will also visit in Los Angeles and San Francisco while away.

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To Wed in Manitoba

The engagement is announced of Margaret Johann (Peggy) daughter of Mr. Archie McKinnon of Vancouver and the late Mrs. McKinnon to Cpl. Warren John McKayden, RCAF, Winnipeg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hector McKayden, 2064 Quimper street, Victoria. The wedding will take place on Saturday, February 18 in Minnedosa United church, Minnedosa, Man.

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For Affianced Couple

Mr. and Mrs. G. U. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Reimer entertained at the home of the former, 2532 Garden street, recently in honor of Miss Lena Brondson and Mr. Dirk Van Maanen, whose wedding takes place Friday, Feb. 10. A toast was proposed by Mr. D. Reimer to the bride and groom-elect upon arrival. Following an evening of cards the guests of honor were presented with an appropriate gift. Before a buffet dinner was served Mr. Wm. Paterson rendered two vocal solos. Others present were Miss Edythe Taylor Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Playfair, Mr. and Mrs. D. Prideaux, Mr. and Mrs. V. Dowe, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Paterson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Melvin Mr. and Mrs. C. Ulch, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. T. Bell.

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Kitchen Shower

Honoring Miss Doreen Woody, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Neal L. Craig, Gordon Head road, was hostess at a kitchen shower Pink and white carnation corsages were presented to the guest of honor, her mother, Mrs. G. S. Woods, and Mrs. G. Wishart, assisted the groom-elect on arrival. The useful gifts filled a green basket trimmed with a posy of gay daffodils, and were handed to Miss Woods by Master Rodger Craig. Games were enjoyed and a buffet supper was served. The guests also included Mrs. G. Edgar, Mrs. R. Tingstad, Mrs. A. L. St. Young, Mrs. P. G. Woods, Mrs. K. G. Dodson, Mrs. W. S. Woods, Mrs. R. Edgar, Miss Delores and Miss Sheila Woods.

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In Jamaica

Mr. J. M. Sneddon of 636 Cornwall street is a guest at the Myrtle Bank Hotel in Kingston, Jamaica, B.W.I.

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Honors Niece

To honor her niece Mrs. Walter Mayhe of Duncan, a personal shower was given by Mrs. Arthur Leggon at her home 1062 Chamberlain street. A carnation corsage was presented to the guest of honor together with a basket prettily decorated in pink and white and filled with gifts. Corsages of spray mums were presented to her mother, Mrs. J. W. Leggon, and her two grandmothers Mrs. Dora Leggon and Mrs. M. Crowther. Games were enjoyed and refreshments were served from a table centred with gold and white spray mums in a crystal bowl flanked by lighted white candles in silver holders. The guests also included Mrs. O. Dunaway, Mrs. T. Leggon, Mrs. J. Fulton, Mrs. E. Pugh, Mrs. N. Giles, Mrs. W. Eddy, Mrs. H. Leggon, Mrs. G. Hayne, Mrs. L. Boynton, Mrs. R. Lawson, Mrs. R. Hunt, Mrs. P. Maximulk, Mrs. W. Lindlow, Mrs. H. Leggon Jr., Mrs. G. Dunaway and Miss Yolanda Pearce.

Former Victorian Married Up-Island

COBBLE HILL— A wedding of interest to many Victorians took place at St. John's church, Cobble Hill when Rev. Canon B. and Mrs. K. Sampson officiated at the double-ring ceremony, uniting in marriage Elizabeth Eileen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bell, and Gordon Lawrence, elder son of Mrs. C. Hutchinson, 2616 Heath drive, Victoria and the late G. Hutchinson.

Early spring flowers were used in the church and Mr. A. Pearson played the wedding music.

Entering the church with her father, who gave her in marriage, the bride made a lovely picture in her lace and tulle gown. Fashioned with long sleeves and lace bodice the skirt billowed over a crinoline nylon tulle pouffe over satin. Her floor length veil was arranged from a coronet of pleated tulle and she carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds and white carnations. The bride was attended by Miss Lila Yule as bridesmaid, who wore pale blue nylon lace fashioned on slim lines with matching headdress. She carried pink carnations in her bouquet.

The bride-groom had his brother, Mr. Alan Hutchinson as best man, and acting as ushers were Mr. Jack Barringer, brother of the bride, and Mr. Donald McKelvie.

A reception was held at Mill stream Restaurant, where guests of the principals assisted.

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Symphony Ball Attracts Many Guests

More than 400 were present at the annual Symphony Ball in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel last evening. Attending together were, front row left to right, Mrs. Wallis, convener of the successful affair; Mrs. Mair, Mrs. Erb, Mrs. Mack and Mrs. Sinclair; and back row, left to right, Mr. William Erb, Dr. A. B. Sinclair, Dr. Mellis Mair, Mr. Frank Mack and Mr. Aubrey Wallis.—(Colonist photo by Jim Ryan.)

Navy League Chapter Gives $396 to Education

The record sum of $395.99 was spent by Navy League Chapter, IODE, on secondary education last year, Mrs. R. Brown, educational secretary, reported at the annual meeting in the Glenshiel hotel yesterday.

Of this amount $250 went directly to secondary education, $56.51 to the adopted school at Molseley Lake, $10 to the correspondence scholarship and $46.48 for calendars and supplies.

A subscription to Canadian Geographic magazine was sent to Central Junior High school and a book prize presented to the leading Grade 8 student in Canadian history at the same school.

In her annual report, Mrs. A. W. C. Norman, secretary, stated that the chief project during the year was the Penny Sale held jointly with Aldwyn Hamley Chapter.

The treasurer's report, read by Mrs. F. J. Nobbs, showed that this brought in $144.27, raffles, $36.20, rummage sale, $34.35, and other entertainments, $80.60.

Total receipts for the year amounted to $1,147.99 and disbursements totalled $1,043.37.

Mrs. G. W. Crooks, convener of services at home and abroad, told members that 19 seamen and two airmen had been made welcome in several nursery rooms valued at $14.22. Four hampers were given to needy families and cigars and fruit to the Veterans' Hospital at Christmas.

Flowers were also arranged in the Veterans' Hospital at appointed times throughout the year and 200 magazines were sent to the hospital and to the Seamen's Institute.

Donations included $25 to Sea Cadets, and smaller sums to the Mary Croft rest fund, British Save the Children's fund, Korean Project fund and the Protestant Orphanage.

Other reports were given by Mrs. R. Shanks, membership; Mrs. D. W. Carter, press; Mrs. A. W. Bradley, Standard bearer and nominations; Mrs. Gwen Downes, Empire and world affairs; Mrs. Nobbs, films; Mrs. A. W. Whittier, Commonwealth and Empire.

Seated at the head table, which was centred with an arrangement of daffodils and pussywillows, I linked by smaller bowls of the same flowers and lighted yellow candles in triple branch candelabra were Mrs. J. L. Gates, municipal regent, and members of the executive.

Other special guests were Mrs. J. L. Ford, past regent of the Chapter, Mrs. P. E. Orchard and Mrs. Whittier. All commended the Chapter on it's excellent work and made several suggestions for projects in the coming year.

Presentations were made to Mrs. Gates by the regent, and to Mrs. Mawdsley by Mrs. Shanks.

Executive for the coming year will be Mrs. Mawdsley, regent, Mrs. D. W. Carter, first vice regent, Mrs. N. Gibson Shaw, second vice president, Mrs. W. Norman, secretary; Mrs. F. J. Nobbs, treasurer; Mrs. R. Brown, educational secretary; Mrs. S. Kilshaw, Echoes secretary; Mrs. J. W. Crooks, services at home and abroad; Mrs. A. W. Bradley, standard bearer.

Choir Holds Banquet At Oak Bay Beach Hotel

The Oak Bay Beach Hotel was the scene of the annual banquet held recently by the choir and bellringers of Christ Church cathedral.

Spring flowers and lighted tapers centred the head table at which were seated Most Rev. H. E. Sexton and Mrs. Sexton, Very Rev. Brian Whitlow and Mrs. Whitlow, Rev. and Mrs. George Lang Rev. Canon A. E. Greenfield and Mrs. Green, Dr. Haigh, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Mickman, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Courtney, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Steed, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ingraid Mr. and Mrs. Howell, Mr. F. H. Bengough Miss C. C. Guthrie.

Chairmas for the evening were Dean Whitlow and the general convener Mrs. Hazel Sherratt. Dean Whitlow Mr. Courtney, Dr. Hickman, Mr. Ingraid and Mr. Steed spoke briefly.

Later the party adjourned to the lounge where the film "Stratford Adventure," was shown. A musical program which followed included songs by Miss Duff and Mr. Bray and an exhibition of hand bell ringing by the Cathedral bellringers which was introduced by Mrs. Duff and Mr. Bray and Miss Eleanor Duff.

Clubs, Societies

The Senior Ladies' Guild of St. Alban a church will hold a Valentine tea and sale of home cooking at the parish hall on Tuesday, Feb. 14 at 2:30 p.m.

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The evening branch of St. Matthew's Guild, Langford, will hold a pancake tea in the parish hall on Tuesday, Feb. 14 at 2:30 p.m. There will also be a homecooking stall. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

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The regular meeting of the Langford, 50 and Up Club will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 15 at 2 p.m. in St Matthew's parish hall, Langford.

St. George's Guild Holds Tea

Guild members of the Church the guests and Mrs. R. L. Hanford by tall rose candles in of St. George the Martyr, en Mitchell, Mrs. E. R. Macdonald silver candelabrum. tertained old and new friends at Mrs. Peter H. Brown and Mrs. Bowls of plum blossom and T. H. Burns presided at the tea greenery made attractive decora- a tea held in the parish hall on table which was decorated with attic in the hall. Tea was one Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. C. a silver bowl filled with rose vergil by Mrs. H. V. Hummel H. Reima, president, received and cream, colored tulips and Mrs. E. T. Ringstead.

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Court Imposes Stiff Penalty For Carrying Hidden Knife

Nelson Hutchinson, living in a Johnson street hotel, in possession of a concealed knife was fastened by Colwood court $50 and costs.

A speeder trapped by radar ten cross road, was fined $10 court cost Sidney Randall, 313 Stewart $15 and $3.50 costs; Herbert W. Pigot, 1636 Myrtle, like $10 and costs in Colwood also $15, and Henry G. Price, court. 598 Robertson, a $10 fine $5 ward J. Cushing was fined $10 cost for passing a stop sign.

A juvenile was fined $10 and $4 costs for driving without a

Found in possession of liquor by RCMP, a juvenile was fined $10 and $4 costs.

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A Nanaimo youth, Dennis M Wilkinson, 18, of 534 Bradley, caught, earlier this week by Const. Charles Bains stealing was forgiven him the officer's personal car was given a year's suspended sentence yesterday by Oak Bay court.

Wilkinson was ordered to post a $500 bond.

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Herbert Ewald Peer Alberni was fined $35 and restricted to seasons driving for four months when he pleaded guilty to careless driving Feb 3 on Govern street at Bay. Police said he went through a red traffic light.

Paul V. Tempest Wilkinson road, pleaded not guilty to failing to remain at an accident scene Jan 28 and guilty to careless driving on Burnside the same date. He was remanded until Feb. 17 for trial on the one charge and sentence on the other.

Court Jester

Danny Kaye entertained Princess Margaret three times in about six hours Thursday night. The princess saw his new film, "The Court Jester," at a charity gala, then Kaye appeared on stage for 35 minutes Later, Kaye entertained at a small private party.

Waving Mass of Flags Welcomes Royal Couple

LAGOS, Nigeria (Reuters)—A power coursing through generators It gives simultaneous hearing the crowd of 100,000 people—half of of the region's new power station, dishes to live ships and will share them at school children—gave Queen Elizabeth a standing ovation here Friday when she and the Duke of Edinburgh drove among them standing in a jeep.

The vast crowd assembled at Lagos race track erupted into a flutter of Union Jacks and drove slowly by. The children were lined up around the track.

The rally was the highlight of the most crowded day of the Queen's current tour of her largest colony.

Close to 1,000,000 holiday-makers crowded into Lagos Friday to witness and take part in the Queen's busy round of engagements.

In the morning, she set newly $25,000,000 worth of industrial equipment in operation by opening a new wharf extension in Lagos harbor and then pressing a silver knob on a control panel to set

She had lunch with members of Lagos one of the world's most the executive council of the south modern ports Cameroons and the neighboring Britain's trust territories of south- Cameroons Friday, eight Fon of Bafut. pledged its "most loyal and de- The new wharf extension, 2,000 feet long, was built on reclaimed a reception at Government House. land and has a total of 11,000,000 An inch rain caused with a de- the Fon of Bafut.

Grant of $1,250 Given Art Gallery

Cheque for $1,250 from Kiwanis cavation Minister Ray Williston was received by the Art Gallery of Greater Victoria yesterday, raising the provincial grant to the gallery for the present fiscal year to $1,500.

L. L. Drake, gallery president said the grant will go into general revenue and "will go a long way towards reducing our investator deficit" at the matter at $6,000 in the last year. Government sent the gallery $250 last spring with the prom- ise of more if municipalities gave financial assistance. Later Victoria gave $5,000, Oak Bay sent $250 and Saanich made a token grant of $50.

"We are delighted to have this recognition from the government and particularly from the education department," Mr. Drake said. "We hope the grant will continue at this level, or better as our services expand."

He said the gallery is conducting art classes for 125 children and last year was host to 2,500 school children on inspection tours. The gallery is now showing the collection of Saskatchewan artist Peter F. S. Mendel, which includes four paintings by Emily Carr and closes Feb. 19.

B.C. Herring Catch Down from Last Year

British Columbia herring catch in Feb. 4 totals 15,776 tons, compared with 167,711 tons last year by Feb. 5 the federal department of fisheries reports.

In 1951 a record year, the catch totalled 183,262 tons by Feb. 3

'O Canada' Subversive Orangemen Complain

ST. CATHARINES, Ont. (CP)— Neelis council, Orangemen have labeled as "subversive" and "unpatriotic" the singing of "O Canada" in St. Catharines schools.

They have requested the St. Catharines board of education to designate God Save the Queen as Canada's national anthem and substitute "The Maple Leaf Forever" for "O Canada as a patriotic song.

They also asked in a letter to the board that only the Union Jack be displayed in or outside school property.

The lodge also objected to the displaying of a proposed Canadian flag designed by St. Catharines teacher. The flag had been tacked on the notice board at the collegiate.

The letter was signed by Burnes Hemmings, recording secretary of the Loyal Orange Lodge of Lincoln county.

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SHE MIGHT BE IN A BETTER MOOD TOMORROW
MORE MOSQUITO WHAT'S THE OLD ROSEBELLED DOLL DOING STANDING YOUR HOUSE?
IS THAT WHERE HE IS? HE'S SUPPOSED TO BE IN HERE HELPING ME WITH THE DISHES

KERRY DRAKE

ADJUSTABLE HOOK AND KNOTTED ROPE FOR EQUIPMENT... PLUS A WEAPON... THERE'S INCIDENTALLY ENOUGH SNOW IN THE AIR TO HAVE MADE HIS HANDS SLIP, TOUCH WAY TO GO, DRAKE
AND UNDER THE SPOT WHERE KERRY IS STANDING
I CAN STILL SEE HIM, KERRY! ALL ALWAYS SEE HIM! ALWAYS!
DEENA! GET HOLD OF YOUR SELF!

BEN BOLT

MANAGING EDITOR
THE NOT LIKE THAT YOU'RE TOO GOOD FOR A LITTLE OF A BOY AWAY
SOMETHING ODD IS HAPPENING AROUND THAT CAMPUS OVER-AND-O'ER A HANDSOME BUNDLE OF FUN IN THE MIDDLE OF IT I CAN'T CRAMB OUT ALTHO' I'VE TRIED
FRANK BOOK STUCK WITH THE COON BOWLING MAGIC GREAT COPY!

FLIBBERTYS

YOU WANT TWENTY BUCKS FOR LOUNGING PAJAMAS? ARE YOU NUTS?
BUT, DAD, I WEAR THE SAME CLOTHES ALL THE TIME
I'D LIKE SOMETHING NEW, SMART AND PRACTICAL TO WEAR AROUND THE HOUSE!
THAT CAN BE ARRANGED!

MARY WORTH

I'M SORRY I LET THAT HAPPEN
LOOK HERE! FOR THE FIRST WEEK THERE IN YOUR HOUSE I'VE WANTED TO KISS YOU MUCH BECAUSE I WAS FALLING FOR YOU. BUT YOU ACT AS IF I WERE A B. NO DATE TRYING TO MOCK A HALF NELSON ON YOU IN A TRUCK
PRETTY GIRLS TAKE IT FOR GRANTED THAT MEN FALL IN LOVE WITH THEM... BUT PLAIN GIRLS... AREN'T. YOU'LL FIND IT HARD TO BELIEVE IT, I GUESS!
OKAY SO I HAVE TO PROVE HOW I FEEL ABOUT YOU? SIT BACK, RELAX AND WATCH ME OPERATE, HONEY!

LOUIE

MUTT & JEFF

YES, YOU MAY GO IN AND SEE MUTT NOW! HIS APPENDICITIS OPERATION WAS A SUCCESS!
DOCTOR! WHY IS IT SO DARK IN HERE?
I HAD THE BLINDS DRAWN!
THERES A HOUSE ON FIRE ACROSS THE STREET!
I DIDN'T WANT YOU TO WAKE UP AND THINK THE OPERATION WAS A FAILURE!

LIL ABNER

PLEASE, CLOSEST ANSWER WHY? I JUST LOVE HEART
HOLD IT, STABLE!!
MAKE V-VICTOR NATURE'S CALL PLEASE, DON'T
PLEASE DON'T HURT HIM!
PLEASE, DON'T HIT HIM AGAIN!
PLEASE DON'T HURT HIM NOW!
TIGER?!

POGO

WHY'D IT WATCH IT?
YOU'RE CRAZY ALL OVER! EVERYWHERE - BUT OUR!
YOU! YOU'RE THE ONE? THEN IF WE'RE DOOM
TAKE THAT!
PUNCH! WILL YOU!! HE'S A CAVE - I... WHOO!
NO, YOU WAIRLESS CATERPILLAR! YOU'S LIKE A GOOD GUY!!
ALL RIGHT! ALLRIGHT! EVERYBODY OUT! I'S YOU CAN'T GET ME WITH OUT FIGHTIN... YOU KNOW WHAT? LAST TIME WE EVER TAKES YOU ALL FOR A LIZ OUTIN'
AARRV
SEE!

RIP KIRBY

THERE OUGHTA BE A LAW

VENTRICAL SAT IN SILENCE ALL NIGHT WHILE DRU FRIEND AUBUCK DID PENNY OF CIRCULATION
NO, VENTRICAL WON'T MIND IF I DANCE WITH YOU NOW, CHARLIE! HE'S NOT THE JEALOUS TYPE!
BUT WHEN SOME BLONDE DAME WAS A PASSING GLANCE OBON' A THIRD WORLD WAR!
WELL, YOU'RE CERTAINLY GIVING HER THE BIG ADDIEU! WHY DON'T YOU DO SOMETHING NICE FOR YOU ONCE IN EVERY WHILE, SEE? COME ON, I WANT TO GO HOME!
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REX MORGAN

P.S. YOU'RE NOT IN LOVE WITH THIS GIRL, IT'S NOT FAIR TO YOURSELF OR THIS GIRL THAT YOU MARRIED HER, WILL YOU?
I WISH THAT, DANIEL!
I'LL BE NOT DOING MY MEDICAL WORK IN MORGAN CITY
THIS'S BOUND TO LIVE A RATHER STRENUOUS COMPLICATION
IT'S HARD EVEN NOW! AS A RESULT OF THIS OPERATION, I'LL BE PERMANENTLY BLIND!

JUDGE PARKER

I'M SORRY JUDGE, I'LL NEVER DO IT AGAIN! YOU HAVE MY WORD OF HONOR! SURE... WE'LL SEE WHAT YOU DO!
I... I'LL NEVER DO ANYTHING AGAIN! YOU'RE SURE RIGHT!
I TELEPHONED BUT THERE WAS NO ANSWER
WELL, PERHAPS WE SHOULD PAY A VISIT TO THE SUSPECT
YOU DON'T LEAVE AS LONG AS YOU'RE ON WHITTEN, SON!
WAS IT THAT LONG?
I'D TELL A LOT BETTER IF I'D GET SOME RELIEF FROM THIS HEADACHE, SOON!
HOW LOCK I'VE KNOCKED ENOUGH... LET'S GO!

JULIE JONES

JULIE! WHAT ARE YOU DOING IN HERE? A HERO OF ELEPHANTS TRAINS IN THE ATTIC!
I'D STARTED WITH MRS. HENRY AND HER MRS. HENRY'S BRIDGE AND LAMARTS CLUB, FOLLOWED BY DIZZY BUCCESSION OF SOCIAL CHATTER
MRS. ELIOTS FLOWER ARRANGING GUILD, MRS. MARY LAMARTS THREE DAUGHTERS AND TWO DAUGHTERS-IN-LAW, AND SO ON
WHEW! WHAT'S HAUNTED NEXT?
MY PUTY SOME MORE HATE, THAT'S THERE!

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Winning Contract

By Howard Schenken and Richard L. Frey

East-West vulnerable
Rubber rules 60 on score
South dealer

NORTH
♠ K 4 2
♥ K 8
♦ 10 8 1 2
♣ J 10 3 3

WEST
♠ J 10
♥ J 10 9 7
♦ A J 7 6
♣ A K 9

EAST
♠ Q 9 7 6
♥ 7 6 2
♦ Q 9 5
♣ Q 5 4 2

SOUTH
♠ A 8 5 3
♥ A Q 5 4
♦ K 3
♣ 8 7

The bidding

South	West	North	East
2♠	Dbl	Pass	2♣
2	Pass	2♠	All Pass

South need no difficulty in making his two-spade contract. West opened the king of clubs and shifted to the jack of spades. De Lucce took three rounds of trumps and led three low suited. It did not matter that East was able to ruff the third heart, for he had to spend the high trump to do so. This left a trump in dummy to take care of South's fourth heart. As declarer lost only two clubs, two diamonds and East's ruff, he made the odd trick.

South-South went on to make a game and rubber as making ten spades on this deal and exploiting their field game and much more important than the mere 60 points they chalked up on the score pad.

Let's hark back to the discussion that followed this deal when East-West realized that they could have made three clubs. East would lose two tricks in each of the majors but could avoid any other loser by playing for South to have a doubleton king of diamonds a logical play, after he had led two suits and shown up with a couple of cards in clubs.

"Why didn't you raise my pluhe with two-trip bonus?" asked East. "You were the last to pass and you know that if the opponents made ten spades it would also have been game."

West pointed out that he had already made a takeout double for which he could hardly claim the best hea strengths. East might have had a complete bust in clubbing as few as three. Iuha for a three-suited hand that he proposte in the double if he re- held something like four spades in the jack and three cards in every other suit." For all West could tell, a three-club bid might result a matter disaster. There was no way of telling how strong North might be and if he had a reasonably fixed hand with a long club suit, a takeout double were South had shown a weak two-suit bid would be the best move he set as many as six tricks.

East should have realized this. If the two-heart bid had come around to him and he was last to speak he would certainly have bid three clubs. With a fair five-card suit and the majestic queen he should have raised over the six tricks to defend the seven.

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Daily Astrology . . .

BY RITA DEL MAR

SATURDAY FEB 11, 1956

Today's quotation: "Little books with few new ideas" Franklin

Saturday for everyone. Care for duties conscientiously. Use time taking the time for relaxation and pleasure. Attend to duties and health matters first. However the day is favorable for completing tasks and saving problems.

Look for your birthdate and birthsign below.

Aries (Mar 21 to April 19 (Aries) If minor setbacks occur, take them in stride. You can remedy most some basic game if you are alert.

April 20 to May 20 (Taurus) Let business and duty come first; delay is better than ridiculous frenzy promote ideal relationships.

May 21 to June 20 (Gemini) Recheck plans decisions before acts or make. Promise peaceful and pleasant day ahead.

June 21 to July 22 (Cancer) Save rather than spend; don't waste anything. Your personal charm should be high, make the most of it.

July 23 to Aug. 22 (Leo) Be tactful in dealings with the public and with partners. Consider problems over-come difficulties.

Aug. 23 to Sept. 22 (Virgo) Proceed with caution and be dutiful during the greater part of the day. Enjoy some sociabil.

Sept. 23 to Oct. 22 (Libra) Use careful judgment in making decisions regarding loved ones; spending time with them is important. Be with higher ups.

Oct. 23 to Nov. 21 (Scorpio) Keep things moving harmoniously around home or base. Personal interests pertaining to appointments deviations are favored.

Nov. 22 to Dec. 21 (Sagittarius) Seek Recheck ideas information, use tact in dealings with others. Forward financial interests.

Dec. 22 to Jan. 19 (Capricorn) Outfall responsibilities and career-raising. At the same time this move freely with people, forward outside interests.

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1 BIRTHS

WILSON—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson (nee Ida Hall), 1604 Fairfield Road, a daughter, at St. Joseph's Hospital, on Feb. 10, 1956, weighing 8 lbs. 7 ozs., a brother for Kevin.

2 DEATHS

ARE—At the Jubilee Hospital, on Feb. 10, 1956, Mrs. Evelyn Are, aged 61 years. Resident of Victoria for the past 40 years. Survived by her husband, Mr. James Are; one son, Bert Are, of Victoria; one daughter, Mrs. Muriel Wilson of Victoria, B.C.; two sisters, Mrs. Pat McClellan, Leland B.C., and Mrs. Ethel Hutchinson, Leland, and Ernest Ashby, of Victoria, and seven grandchildren. Funeral service will be held from the Thomas Funeral Chapel, 1705 Blanshard, on Monday, Feb. 13, at 2 p.m. Rev. Ben McDonagh officiating. Interment Victoria Memorial Park Cemetery.

BATES—At Port Hardy Hospital, on Friday, February 10, 1956, Mrs. Wilhelmina Bates, aged 47 years, of Coal Harbour. Survived by her husband, Joseph Bates; two daughters and two sisters, Mrs. Lorna Bates of Victoria, and Mrs. Lorna Bates of Victoria, and Mrs. Lorna Bates of Victoria. Funeral service from Hillside Chapel, Lawrence, Crescent and Alford, at 2:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 13. Rev. Arthur Johnston and Rev. Brian Greene officiating. Interment in Victoria Memorial Park Cemetery.

BRADLEY—Suddenly, on Feb. 10, 1956, Percy Frederick Bradley, aged 67 years, of 1010 Rockland Avenue. Survived by his loving wife, Ethel; one son, Percy Bradley, Victoria; two daughters, Mrs. Ethel Bradley, Victoria, and Mrs. Ethel Bradley, Victoria; one brother, Mr. Ernest Bradley, Victoria; one sister, Mrs. Ethel Bradley, Victoria; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Funeral service will be held from the Thomas Funeral Chapel, 1705 Blanshard, on Tuesday, Feb. 14, 1956, at 2 p.m. Rev. Ben McDonagh officiating. Interment

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First World War Echo

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TORONTO (CP)—The E. Cana- ...ordered to the veterans' affairs ...dian soldiers buried in a Welsh ...department. They referred him to ...churchyard may rest in peace the Imperial War Graves Commis- ...sion, their remains cleared in a ...time, who suggested in turn that ...Toronto lawyer who refused to let he get in touch with the defence ...department.

It took two months of correspond- ...ence by J. Palmer Kerr, Toronto ...city solicitor but no more will the ...soldiers buried at Bodelwyddan be ...labelled as rioters shot by order ...of a First World War court-mar- ...tial.

Mr. Kent on a visit to Wales ...last summer, was shocked to hear ...a tour guide say the graves at ...Bodelwyddan contained the bodies ...of 84 Canadian soldiers sentenced ...to death after rioting in a military ...camp near the hamlet.

The church's verger held him to ...records assured to confirm the ...guide's story but Mr. Kent wanted ...concrete proof to put an end to it ...for once and for all.

Back in Toronto, he wrote to ...the defence department and was ...told:

After more correspondence, the ...defence department assured him it ...would investigate. The results of ...the investigation were forwarded to ...the vicar of Bodelwyddan and con- ...firmed that the old legend had no ...foundation in fact.

It seems the rumor started this way.

A staging camp was established ...near Bodelwyddan for soldiers ...awaiting return to Canada after ...the 1918 armistice. In March, 1919, ...a melee developed among men ...restless from repeated sailing de- ...lays. In the melee three soldiers ...were killed and two died later of ...injuries.

Courts-martial were held and ...some detentions ordered.

While 83 Canadians (according to ...Ottawa records) were buried in ...the churchyard, including four con- ...victims the majority were victims ...of influenza and pneumonia.

Mr. Kent who told the story, Wed- ...nesday, says the vicar of Bodel- ...wyddan Rev. D. R. Griffiths, has ...promised to set the record straight ...and give tour guides an accurate ...picture of the fate of the soldiers ...buried in the churchyard.

City Council Briefs

Law Ending Nuisance Taxes Given Preliminary Approval

By laws to abolish road and and ...poll tax in Victoria as of next ...Jan. 1 were given preliminary ...approval by city council yes- ...terday.

The two by-laws are now ready for final passage at the next council meeting.

Representatives of Burnside ...residents were the opposing side ...of city-owned property between ...Burnside and Douglas were ...present in council chamber ...when the future of the land ...was mentioned briefly.

Council decided to ask the Victoria Town Planning Commission for a quick report on the need for retaining the land for park purposes.

Burnside residents protested ...when council removed the pro- ...perty from the park reserve ...list recently and offered it for ...sale.

Mayor Sycaluna confirmed ...yesterday before council met ...that he had discussed with an ...agent the possible purchase of ...the property for a Woodward's ...store. He said however, that no ...actual offer had been made and ...there had been "no serious ...negotiation."

Council referred to the comp- ...troller for inclusion in estimates ...a letter from the Capital Re- ...gion Planning Board saying ...that the city's share of its bud- ...get this year would remain un- ...changed at $1,900. Other shares ...will be: provincial government ...$10,000; Saanich $2,700; Oak ...Bay $1,200; Esquimalt $1,000; ...Central Saanich $700; Sidney ...$100.

Aldermen disregarded the recommendation of the town planning commission in giving third reading in a by-law to rezone property at 1116 Yates, east of Cook, from apartment to commercial classification to allow erection of a car sales lot. A public hearing will be held Feb. 23 before final action is taken.

Council accepted the com- ...mission's advice however in ...rejecting an application for an ...industrial rezoning of property at ...855 Seaforth in Victoria West.

A sawmill Ald. M. H. Mooney ...said, was the proposed use of ...the property, an opinion voiced ...by single family dwellings.

The commission recommend- ...ed that builders of new homes ...should be warned that industry ...possibly will encroach on the ...area of necessity in future.

J. G. McKeachie asked for **and gained council approval of a fly-past of jet planes or Lancasters to mark the opening of the Red Cross Society's fund campaign early in March.**

T. P. O'Grady resigned from the zoning board of appeal be- ...cause he is now city solicitor.

Municipalities Blamed

The adjoining municipalities operate organizations refuse to use them and that increases the ...load on city parks. This applies ...particularly to baseball and ...softball.

...ministrator W. M. Warren says ...secretary for a heavy load on city ...playing fields.

Mr. Warren said there was a ...growing need for more tennis ...courts. He reported the number ...of players participating in base- ...ball had declined "despite spend- ...ing so much extra." In- ...terest in English rugby also ...has provided some facilities ...but all other sports increased, particularly ...soccer.

"While the situation is easing because of the development ...of Cadboro Bay park in Oak Bay, ...he said in his annual report, ...the ratepayers still holds that ...while adjacent municipalities ...have provided some facilities ...they have kept them up.

Equal Rights To Liquor To Be Granted

The federal government will amend the Indian Act to allow native Canadians equal drinking rights during the current session of parliament.

Ottawa and Victoria sources disclosed yesterday that the various provincial attorneys-generals have been consulted on the amendments by Ivmigration and Citizenship Minister Jack Pickersgill.

Amendments will give each province authority to grant equal rights to Indians.

Confidential information on the amendments has been received from Mr. Pickersgill by Attorney-General Robert Bonner, but B.C. government policy has not yet been considered.

Church Rally Will Discuss Evangelism

National evangelism cam- ...paign of the United Church ...now in its second year will be ...a major topic at the annual ...spring meeting of the Victoria ...presbytery in Centennial United ...Church Tuesday and Wednes- ...day.

Only speaker at the two-day ...business conference will be Rev. ...Dr. W. P. Bunt of Vancouver, ...B.C. home missions superintend- ...dent.

Rev. Dr. Douglas Telford of ...Vancouver, church extension ...official and Peg Harris Metro- ...politan United church treasurer ...will speak to a school of steward- ...ship for island church ...stewards in the same church ...Monday.

Connected with the two meet- ...ings will be a conference of ...Christian education committees ...of Vancouver Island Tuesday ...evening.

Dean Plans Square Dance

Dean Brian Whitton, who ...found square dancing popular ...among his last parishioners in ...Quebec, will hold a square ...dance social for the congrega- ...tion of Christ Church Cathedral ...in Memorial hall gymnasium ...at 8 p.m. today.

Chi Rho club for young peo- ...ple will lead the way. The dean ...says the event will be repeated ...occasionally in future, if it ...proves popular.

Macdonald Before Court

VANCOUVER (BUP)—A 44 ...year-old ex-postal clerk was re- ...manded for eight days when he ...appeared in Vancouver police ...court Friday on a charge of ...theft of $44,500.

Magistrate Thomas Dohm ...had John Keith Macdonald ...transferred to Squamish court.

Daily transcontinental mail serv- ...ice was inaugurated in Canada in ...1859.

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2000 Acadia Uranium	20c	20c	20c
3500 Agnico-Eagle Mines	85	83	83
1000 Akaitcho Yk	55c	50c	50c
1000 Alba Explor	30c	30c	30c
4000 Amalga Lead			
1000 Anacon Lead			
1000 Anglo-Huronian	107	106	106
17000 Anglo-Rouyn	107	106	106
2000 Arno Mines	20	20	20
1000 Aumaque	15	15	15
1000 Bankfield	10c	10c	10c
1000 Barnat	10c	10c	10c
1000 Base Metals	10c	10c	10c
1000 Bidgood Kirkland	10c	10c	10c
1000 Bonetal	10c	10c	10c
1000 Bonville	10c	10c	10c
1000 Boymar	10c	10c	10c
1000 Brantaly	10c	10c	10c
1000 Bruck Mines	10c	10c	10c
1000 Buffadison	10c	10c	10c
1000 Bulldog Yk	10c	10c	10c
1000 Calder Bousquet	10c	10c	10c
1000 Calgary & Edmonton	10c	10c	10c
1000 Calmont Oils	10c	10c	10c
1000 Campbell Chibougamau	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canada Malartic	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canada Southern	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canada Wide	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canadian Collieries	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canadian Devonian	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canadian Dyno	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canadian Explorers	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canadian Gypsum	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canadian Homestead	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canadian Malartic	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canadian Oil	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canadian Petroleum	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canadian Pipeline	10c	10c	10c
1000 Canadian Wide	10c	10c	10c
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COULD HAVE SWEPT EUROPE BOASTS RUSSIAN

Beauty Reigns over Campus

Winner by a landslide, lovely Rita Leong, 18-year-old booster club candidate, was crowned Campus Queen by student leader David Edgar as annual "Twirp" (The Woman is Requested To Pay) season ended at Victoria College last night. Chosen princesses from 11 other contestants were Joan Sutherland, 19, bowling club, and Margot Thomson, 17, camera club. Other "winners" were Audrey Hogg, 19, "cafeteria queen"; Edmund Price, 21, "international lover," and Malcolm McMillan, 19, and Deanna Christianson, 18, "most loving couple."— (Colonel photo by Jim Ryan)

Open Note To Britain

'Soviets Now Hold Trump' In New Nuclear Weapons

LONDON (UP)—A Soviet air marshal boasted last night that Russia could have conquered all of Europe in 1945. He warned the West the Soviet Union now holds the nuclear trump card in the cold war.

Air Marshal N. Skripko made the statement in an unusual "open letter" to British Air Marshal Sir John Slessor that was published in the Soviet newspaper New Times. The letter was broadcast by Radio Moscow.

'NO INTENTION'

In the letter the Red air marshal wrote that "the Soviet army could have occupied the whole of Europe after the Second World War."

Skripko added however, that Russia never "harbored such an intention."

He warned that any Western atomic attack would bring swift retaliation that would strike at the "heart" of Britain and turn European towns into a "radioactive desert."

Skripko said that nuclear weapons can no longer be considered a "trump card" in the hands of the West.

That trump is now in the hands of other powers, including the Soviet Union, which has "in possession of atomic, hydrogen and all other types of weapons," the Soviet air of fcer added.

'ADVOCATED WAR'

The Soviet air marshal lashed out at Slessor for "advocating atomic war in a recent speech at Chesterfield, Germany.

"This invitation to the Western nations to commit collectively suicide is as fantastic as it is foolish," Skripko told Slessor.

"The efforts of our people are concentrated on increasing material and cultural standards, on turning the deserts of Central Asia into flourishing orchards, on turning flourishing areas of Europe into radioactive desert."

"Have you considered" he asked Slessor, "what would happen if all of us began to use your trump?" And if you have, were you not appalled by the prospect for the inhabitants of densely populated Western Europe, Great Britain included?"

Prelate Smears Troops

NICOSIA, Cyprus (Reuters)—Archbishop Makarios, leader of the union-with-Greece movement in this British east Mediterranean island colony, Friday accused British troops of "barbaric methods worthy of Nazi concentration camps."

He demanded an immediate investigation of the death of a Greek-Cypriot student killed during anti-British riots in Famagusta Tuesday.

The archbishop's press statement came after a day of further rioting in which 15 youths were arrested and six injured after a crowd of screaming girls seen agers led a mob of 1,000 in a demonstration against British troops in Limassol.

"IN COLD BLOOD"

Makarios charged that the student Patrikos Vafiades, 19, "was killed in cold blood while walking along a street by a soldier who alighted from his patrol car and shot him dead without any warning."

The archbishop contended that the killing of the student was not an isolated episode but rather a "series of acts of violation by the British forces of occupation in Cyprus."

NAZI MANNERS

"There are other concrete cases," he asserted, "in which arrested persons still under command without definite charge were molested in a manner that befits the middle ages or Nazi concentration camps."

Snow Covers Sunny Riviera

Cold weather isn't discriminating. It falls on rich and poor alike, even though the rich flee to playground of Mediterranean coast, usually immune. Here's view of Promenade Des Anglais at Nice after it was covered by a blanket of snow.—(CPC)

Crash Hurts Four

Three sailors and a civilian were taken to hospital early today after their car skidded on wet pavement at Colwood, grazed a high-tension power pole and overturned.

Fireworks from broken wires set the pole afire, and failing wires barely missed several bystanders.

Taken to hospital were Robert A. Randall of HMCS Naden, reported to be the driver, and Ken O. Hunt and Robert W. Stoppard, also of Naden,who were passengers in the car.

Their injuries were not known immediately.

The automobile was demolished.

Lights in Victoria blinked out briefly as the wires came down, but service was immediately restored. Residents within about a quarter-mile of the scene were awakened by the crash and the snapping, sparking wires.

Allan McNaughton, believed to be from Belmont Park, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital by a passing motorist. His condition was not reported to be serious. The other three were in Naden Hospital with undetermined injuries.

Details 'Throttled'

Towers Leaves City Police; Attacks RCMP Court Martial

Penitentiary constable Donald J. Towers last night resigned from Victoria city police department, while attacking RCMP court martial procedure and "certain adverse publicity" that left him in a "most untenable position."

The 29-year-old Towers joined press services here after being drummed out of the RCMP on a court martial conviction for robbery with violence.

He served six months in detention barracks for eliciting a confession, with another RCMP constable, from Robert John Fraser, of Prince George, who subsequently served five and nine months of the 18-month term for robbery with violence.

Towers said:

"I deny steadfastly ever harming Robert John Fraser or anyone else". Towers said in his resignation.

He claimed he was stripped of all possible means of defence at his court martial.

Towers' resignation was announced by police commission chairman Mayor Percy Scurrah after a special, closed meeting with Towers, chief Constable John Blackstock, city solicitor T. P. O'Grady and assistant solicitor Angus Smith.

Mayor Scurrah and the police chief commended Towers for his excellent service here.

There was "nothing else" the commission could do but accept the resignation in view of recent and congressmen have joined a "sterling" effort, the mayor added.

Towers said he was not alarmed over comments of RCMP commissioner L. H. Nicholson and others in parliament, the legislature and the

"The military head of my court was assistant commissioner C. R. Rivett-Carnac, Victoria, B.C."

The RCMP officers stand before such courts be continued without legal counsel, without protection of the Canada Evidence Act or the provisions of defence under the Canadian Criminal Code, and unable to produce records.

"Robert Fraser had the protection of all these elements of jurisprudence and appeared in court on March 9, 1955, with counsel."

Claiming he has uncovered new information in the Fraser case Towers said if there is to be a trial let us have it now."

He did he could provide many details that were "throttled in the court martial."

Towers also claimed a witness in Prince George will swear that Fraser did not plead guilty because of a fear of police but to protect his brother.

"It has been definitely an irony for me to have served an equal term of confinement, particularly in a place far more regimented and severe than Oakalla . . ." on the word of Robert Fraser, Towers said.

Lemon Sours Getaway

PRINCE ALBERT (CP)—RCMP reported Friday that a victim of forcing a false confession from two Indians at Lac a la Crosse, 175 miles north of here is dead.

Police said the Indians took Fraser, of Prince George, who was also subsequently served five and nine months of the 18-month sentence for robbery with violence, attempts to crack it. They hauled it out on to a lake and cracked it there.

On the way out of the store, however, police said, they took a quantity of lemon extract with them. They were still on the lake celebrating when the RCMP rounded them up.

Labor Chief Raps Racists

MIAMI BEACH (UP)—George Meany, president of labor's organized millions, said Friday that several southern governors and congressmen have joined a new "Ku Klux Klan without hoods" to challenge the U.S. Supreme Court's segregation ban.

Meany said he was not alarmed over comments of RCMP commissioner L. H. Nicholson and others in parliament, the legislature and the

Army Fliers

U.S. Colonel Heads Canadian Air Unit

OTTAWA (CP)—A United States Army colonel has taken command of the Canadian Army's air warservices in Europe and Africa branch at defence headquarters here.

This is the section which has had the procurement of aircraft for Canadian Army air force which would carry out battlefield airlift of supplies.

Col. Woodrow Purcell of Birmingham, Ala., is an exchange officer and will do a tour of duty here as if he were a member of the Canadian Army.

FIGURES WITHHELD

The defence department Friday refused to disclose how many American officers are serving with the Canadian Army as exchange officers or how many Canadians. Said similar appointments in the press conference that the army U.S. Army. A department spokesman said this has a bearing on the movement of personnel. Canadian troops short distances Aircraft now were serving in Canada a figure regarded as secret on grounds of security.

Authoritative sources have said that fewer than 3,000 American air force personnel are serving in Canada, including some 15,000 at the three leased bases in Newfoundland.

Lt.Gen. Howard Graham, chief of the army staff, has said that the army will recommend to the government by next summer a plan for cession of its own air force.

NO COMPETITION

He emphasized that the army has no intention of entering into competition with the RCAF and that there will be no duplication between the two services. If a new aircraft is required for the army it will be "almost essential" for arrivers in the field. The U.S. Army flies more than 4,000 planes and helicopters.

Mercy Planes Drop Food For Snowbound Villages

LONDON (CP)—Food and fuel tumbled out of mercy planes over snowbound villages of Europe Friday as the death toll climbed to 219 in the worst winter of the century.

Cold wave from Siberia chilled the continent from the far north to the Mediterranean's sunlit, balmy shore. Austria and Hungary had temperatures as low as it below zero, the coldest since 1928.

It was possible to walk between Sweden and Denmark across the frozen Oresound the four-mile-wide sound dividing the two Scandinavian countries. The ice there measured 30 ships.

The bad weather wasn't confined to Europe. In Tunisia Japan six rescue teams working in a new blizzard recovered the 18th body from wreckage of a week-old diving bell engulfed in a mining snowslide. Twelve men were rescued from under one of new drifts and three others are missing and presumed dead.

AUSTRIA ISOLATED

New South Wales Australia is having its worst floods in memory. Six persons have died and 10,000 are homeless. Thirteen inches of rain has fallen on Sydney during a two-day gale. Property damage has been widespread and is expected to increase when reports of flooded rivers reach the city police.

Freezing 70-mile-an-hour winds whistled down the canals of Venice. The cold reached 40,000 mile bottles and caused a milk shortage in the city.

Gales whipped the English channel into an icy froth. The crew of the 216-ton British coaster Cedra — from both sides of the Channel — was rescued by the Channel Islands lifeboat.

Italian Air Force planes parachuted flour, spaghetti and other supplies to three snowbound mountain villages in Calabria.

North of Milan anti aites at Bolzano, a foot of snow fell. A 48 hour snowfall cut off the tiny, mountain republic of San Marino in Germany, ice floes ham pered traffic on the rivers Danube Main Weser and Elbe. Ice floods threatened to block the Rhine near Cologne.

Which One In This 48?

One family in every 48 has sarcoma with a mental health problem, K. J. Winch (U.C.F. Burnaby) told the legislature yesterday.

"There's 48 of us here," he said. "Who's going to occupy the position?"

Yachting Classic To Be Held Here

Canada's premier yachting Pacific seaboard, for an unprecedented week of racing activity will be raced for at Victoria July 2 to 7.

There are five Dragons in Royal Victoria's racing fleet at present, two in Vancouver and one in Nanaimo.

Royal Victoria Yacht Club's president, two in Vancouver and request for the cup contest to be held here this summer has been approved by the Canadian Yachting Association, and the races will be sailed on July 6 and 7.

Although the cup itself may not be taken out of Canada, it is open to competition among all Dragon class fleets of North America, and at least 20 boats will join in the finals. The crew of each boat will consist of three members.

The 1956 series of races is the Duke of Edinburgh Cup races for Dragons.

Royal Victoria Yacht Club will be sailed here in conjunction with the Pacific International Yachting Association and Pacific Coast Yachting Association regattas, which will bring to Victoria upwards of 200 sailing craft in southern Greece. Four big yachts from clubs along the

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LONDON (UP)—Russia last night announced an atomic aid program to Egypt under which Soviet experts will help build a nuclear laboratory in Cairo.

A Moscow radio broadcast said Soviet and Egyptian officials had reached agreement on a program "for carrying out work in the peaceful use of atomic energy."

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Beauty Reigns over Campus

Winner by a landslide, lovely Rita Leong, 18-year-old booster club candidate, was crowned Campus Queen by student leader David Edgar at annual "Twirp" (The Woman is Requested To Pay) session held at Victoria College last night. Chosen princesses from 11 other contestants were Joan Sutherland, 19, bowling club, and Margot Thomson, 17, camera club. Other "winners" were Audrey Hogg, 19, "Celebrity Queen"; Edmond Price, 21, "international lover," and Malcolm McMillan, 19, and Deanna Christianson, 18, "most loving couple."— (Colonist photo by Jim Ryan.)

Open Letter to Britain

Could Have Seized All Europe Russian Air Marshal Boasts

'Reds Hold Trump In Nuclear War'

LONDON (UP)—A Soviet air marshal boasted last night that Russia could have conquered all of Europe in 1945. He warned the West the Soviet Union now holds the nuclear trump card in the cold war.

Air Marshal N Skripkin made the statement in an unusual "open letter" to British Air Marshal Sir John Slessor that was published in the Soviet news-paper New Times. The letter was broadcast by Radio Moscow.

"NO INTENTION"

In the letter, the Red air marshal wrote that "the Soviet army could have occupied the whole of Europe after the Second World War."

Skripkin added, however that Russia never "harbored such an intention."

He warned that any Western atomic attacks would bring swift retaliation that would strike at the "heart" of Britain and turn European towns into a "radioactive desert."

Skripkin said that nuclear weapons can no longer be considered a "trump card" in the hands of the West.

"That trump is now in the hands of other powers, too, including the Soviet Union, which is in possession of atomic, hydrogen, and all other types of weapons," the Soviet air officer added.

"ADVOCATED WAR"

The Soviet air marshal lashed out at Slessor for "advocating atomic war" in a recent speech at Duesseldorf, Germany.

"This invitation to the Western nations to commit collective suicide is as fantastic as it is foolish," Skripkin told Slessor.

"The efforts of our people are concentrated on increasing[illegible] material and cultural standards, on turning the deserts of Central Asia into flourishing orchards, not on turning flourishing areas of Europe into radioactive deserts."

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"I love you considered," he asked Slessor, "what would happen if all of us began to use our trumps? And if you have were you not appalled by the implications for the inhabitants of densely-populated Western Europe, Great Britain included?"

Prelate Smears Troops

NICOSIA, Cyprus (Reuters) — Archbishop Makarios, leader of the union-with-Greece movement in this British east Mediterranean island colony, Friday accused British troops of "barbaric methods worthy of Nazi concentration camps."

He demanded an immediate investigation of the death of a Greek-Cypriot student killed during anti-British riots in Famagusta Tuesday.

The archbishop's press statement came after a day of fury over rioting in which 15 youths were arrested and six injured after a crowd of screaming girl teen-agers led a mob of 1000 in a demonstration against British troops in Limasol.

"IN COLD BLOOD"

Makarios charged that the student, Patrakis Yaillouris, 18, "was killed in cold blood while walking along a street by a soldier who alighted from his patrol car and shot him dead without any warning."

The archbishop contended that the killing of the student was not an isolated episode but one in a "series of acts of vandalism by the British forces of occupation in Cyprus."

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"There are other concrete cases," he asserted, "in which arrested persons still under remand without definite charge were molested in a manner that befits the middle ages or Nazi concentration camps."

Snow Covers Sunny Riviera

Cold weather isn't discriminating. It falls on rich and poor alike, even though the rich flee to playground of Mediterranean coast, usually immune. Here's view of Promenade Des Anglais at Nice after it was covered by a blanket of snow.—(CPC)

Citizen Order Opposed

OTTAWA (CP) — Immigration Minister Pickersgill said Friday a fellow Liberal Commons member who seeks to make it mandatory to take out Canadian citizenship "has the right deathnation, but he's got on the right road."

Mr. Pickersgill opposed a bill put forward by Hugh A. MacKenzie (L — Lambton-Kent) which would amend the Immigration Act to require that immigrants must apply for citizenship within a year after completing their five years of Canadian residence.

If no application was made within the year, the immigrant would be unable to apply for citizenship again until he had put in another five years.

NEXT TO MARRIAGE

"I think perhaps this is the most solemn voluntary act—except for marriage—that an individual can take," said Mr. Pickersgill. He was sure no one would want to see it become mandatory for anyone in Canada to take out a citizenship certificate.

Canada should make citizenship as attractive there would be no need for a law to get newcomers to become citizens, he said.

Towers Leaves City Police; Attacks RCMP Court Martial

Probationary constable Donald J. Towers last night resigned from Victoria city police department, while attacking RCMP court martial procedure and "certain adverse publicity" that left him in a "most untenable position."

The 26-year-old Towers joined the city force in November, working his way from RCMP equipped to judge guilt or innoRegina detention barracks after one-half months of a 14 month term for robbery with violence and drunkenness.

"I deny steadfastly ever harming Robert John Fraser or anyone else," Towers said in his resignation.

He claimed he was stripped of all possible means of defence at his court martial.

Towers' resignation was announced by police commission chairman Mayor Percy Scurrah after a special, closed meeting with Towers, Chief Constable John Blackstock, city solicitor T. P. O'Grady and assistant solicitor Angus Smith.

Mayor Scurrah and the police chief commended Towers for extraordinary service here.

There was "nothing else" the commission could do but accept the resignation in view of recent "atrocities" the mayor added.

Towers said he was not silenced under, comments of counsel.

Clajming he has uncovered new information in the Fraser case Towers said "if there is to be a trial let us have it now."

He felt he could provide many details that were "throttled in the court martial."

Towers also claimed a witness for Fraser, John George said that Fraser did not plead guilty because of a fear of police but to protect his brother.

"It has been definitely an injury for me to have served an equal term of confinement, particularly in a place far more regimented and severe than Oakalla . . ." on the word of Robert Fraser, Towers said.

Details 'Throttled'

Lemon Sours Getaway

PRINCE ALBERT (CP) — RCMP arrested Friday that a weakness for lemon extract kept three Indians at bay at Cowan Crosse, 175 miles north of here, from escaping with $10,000 in a safe in a tobeggan.

Police said the Indians took the safe Tuesday from the Hudson's Bay store in the northern outpost after they foiled in attempts in crack it. They hauled it out on to a lake and cracked it there.

On the way out of the store however, police said, they took a quantity of lemon extract with them. They were still on the lake celebrating when the RCMP rounded them up.

Army Fliers

U.S. Colonel Heads Canadian Air Unit

OTTAWA (CP)—A United States Army colonel has taken command of the Canadian Army's air warfare and Arctic branch at defence headquarters here.

This is the section which has laid the groundwork for a small Canadian Army air force which would carry out battlefield airlift of supplies and troops.

Col. Woodrow Purcell of Birmingham, Ala., is an exchange officer and will do a tour of duty here as if he were a member of the Canadian Army.

FIGURES WITHHELD

The defence department Friday refused to disclose how many American officers are serving with the Canadian Army as exchange officers or liaison officers and would similar appointments in the U.S. Army. A department spokesman said this has a bearing on the number of Canadian officers serving in Canada, a figure regarded as secret on grounds of security.

Authoritative sources have said that fewer than 5,000 American officers are serving in Canada, excluding some 15,000 at the three leased bases in Newfoundland.

Lt.-Gen. Howard Graham, chief of the general staff, has said that the army will recommend to the government by next summer a plan for creation of its own air force.

NO COMPETITION

He emphasized that the army has no intention of entering into competition with the RCAF and that there will be no duplication between the two services. It is known that some air force officers object to the army's scheme.

Gen. Graham said at a Dec. 6 press conference that the army would have piasts and helicopters to move troops and supplies over short distances. Aircraft now were "almost essential" for armies in the field. The U.S. Army flies more than 4,000 planes and helicopters.

Lumber Crash Blamed On Bad Roads

Described as "almost impassable" in consequence of the heavy road north of Campbell River resulted in Raymond Co. of Salmon River logging being admitted to Lourdes Hospital with minor injuries.

He was a passenger in a car driven by Stanley Laverge when his vehicle struck a truck coming from the opposite direction. Numerous cars and a bus were also on the road last night, they added.

Gun, Car Useless, Loses Money

Herman Messes Up Bank Robbery

ARLINGTON, Ky. (AP) — A would-be bank robber with a gun that wouldn't shoot and a getaway car that wouldn't start was in jail on a charge of robbery Friday by a posse of about 20 men.

The posse was waiting when he tried twice to leave the Arlington bank's back door, each time with a woman hostage.

The second woman easily ran to safety with a box containing the bank's money, estimated at $50,000.

Herman Maxie 52 was taken Friday night to Paducah by the FBI.

Maxie entered the bank in mid-afternoon.

He took the bank's keys at gun-point from cashier C. C. Perry and locked the front door. He tied up Perry and Mrs. Marie Beshears, assistant cashier and made them lie on the bank floor. He commanded Mrs. Cay Watts, a bookkeeper, and John W. Riddle, a customer, to lie on the floor unbound and her carry the money and kept with his gun hand free.

Meantime, Mrs. Howard Jones, a poseman, was waiting but, looked inside the bank and, becoming suspicious, went next door to the store of R. P. Hockly, the bank's president. He called marshal E. C. Gibson, who rounded up the posse.

When Maxie confronted the posse, he returned and married Mrs. Watts in front of him while he held the gun. She ran as they reached the door.

Maxie returned for Mrs. Beshears. This time he held one arm around her waist, made her carry the money and kept with his gun hand free.

However, Grady Adams, 34, outside the door against the bank wall. He swung a haymaker blow against Maxie's head. The robber hit the ground, Adams landed on top of him and Mrs. Beshears ran.

It was learned after the excitement had subsided that Maxie's .32-calibre pistol was loaded with automatic shells which experts said would never have fired.

And when officers started to move Maxie's car, parked beside the bank, they discovered it had developed engine trouble that wouldn't start. It was towed

Mercy Planes Drop Food For Snowbound Villages

LONDON (CP)—Food and fuel tumbled out of mercy planes over snowbound villages of Europe Friday as the death toll climbed to 219 in the worst winter of the century.

Cold winds from Siberia chilled the continent from the far north to southern Mediterranean's usually balmy shores. Austria and Hungary had temperatures as low as 31 below zero, the coldest since 1929.

It was possible to walk between Sweden and Denmark across the Kattegat from Oresund, the four-mile wide sound dividing the two Scandinavian countries. The ice there measured 36 ships.

The cold weather wasn't confined to Europe. In Unazaki, Japan ice cracker teams working by ragging blizzard recovered the 18th body from wreckage of a workers' dining hall engulfed in a mor-ning snowslide. Twelve men were rescued from under tons of snow and debris and three others are missing and presumed dead.

AUSTRALIA FLOODED

New South Wales, Australia is having its worst floods in memory. Six persons have died and 10,000 are homeless. Thirteen inches of rain has fallen on Sydney during a two-day gale. Property damage has been widespread and is expected to increase when flood waters reach the low-lying city today.

Freezing 70-mile-an-hour winds whistled down the canals of Venice. The cold reached 40,000 mills bottles and caused a milk shortage in the city.

Cales whipped the English channel into an icy froth. The crew of the 266-ton British coaster Cunlea — from both sides of the line — will come to Victoria for the 1956 series of races.

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Which One In This 48?

One family in every 48 has someone with a mental health problem, E. F. Winch (CCF, Burnaby) told the legislature yesterday.

"There's 48 in here," he said. "Who's going to occupy the positive?"

Yachting Classic To Be Held Here

Canada's premier yachting Pacific seaboard, for an unprecedented trophy—the Duke of Edinburgh Cup, will be raced for at Victoria this year for the first time.

Royal Victoria Yacht Club's request for the cup contest has been approved by the Canadian Yachting Association, and the races will be sailed on July 6 and 7.

Although the cup itself may not be taken out of Canada, it is open to competition among all Dragon class fleets of North America, and at least 20 boats and crews—possibly many more —from both sides of the line 1956 series of races.

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Reds May Take More Wheat

OTTAWA (BUP) — Russia may take between 10,000,000 and 15,000,000 bushels of wheat if current negotiations to wrap up a trade treaty are successful, official sources said yesterday.

It was also learned that several more negotiators are expected from Moscow next week. The original group of seven arrived here Jan. 31 and began talks with Canadian traders the

Labor Chief Raps Racists

MIAMI BEACH (UP)—George Meany, president of labor's organized millions, said Friday that several southern governors and congressmen have joined a new "Ku Klux Klan without hoods" to challenge the U.S. Supreme Court's segregation ban.

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